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# Flutter- Workshop

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# Overview

Why Flutter?

Flutter Basics

Dart Crash-Course

Developing a Shopping List app

Building your own app

Outlook



# Why Flutter?

What even is Flutter?

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“Flutter is an open source framework by Google for building beautiful, natively compiled, multi-platform applications from a single codebase.”

- Open source UI software development toolkit
- Supports many platforms
- Single codebase

# Why Flutter?

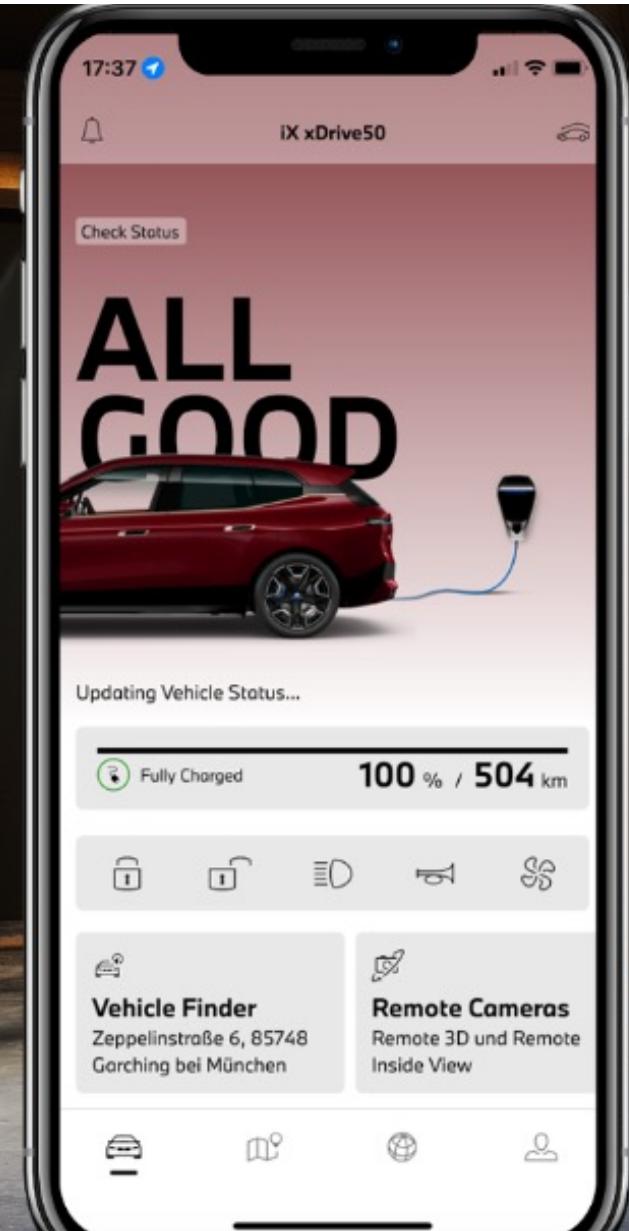
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- Cross-Platform development (Android, iOS, Web, Windows, macOS, Linux, Fuchsia)
- Performant due to Ahead-of-Time (AOT) Compilation
- Expressive and flexible UI (large set of prebuilt components)
- Hot reload (instant UI updates)
- Consistent behavior across all platforms
- Strong community and ecosystem (wide adoption in the industry)

# Why Flutter?

Applications in the real world



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Check Status

# ALL GOOD

Updating Vehicle Status...

Fully Charged 100 % / 504 km

Vehicle Finder  
Zeppelinstraße 6, 85748 Garching bei München

Remote Cameras  
Remote 3D und Remote Inside View

Check Status



# BMW

Feature and design discrepancies between their iOS and Android offering had grown too large

- 照料 Not yet mature enough
- ✓ Not web based => better UX
- ✓ Build & design once



10:00

X

You spent \$526 this week

\$43 more than your typical week

\$526

A smartphone screen showing a weekly spending summary. The time is 10:00. A close button (X) is in the top-left corner. The main message is "You spent \$526 this week" with a note "\$43 more than your typical week". A bar chart shows four bars of increasing height, with the tallest bar reaching \$526. A callout bubble points to the top bar with the amount "\$526".

# Google-Pay

Building every feature twice

Cloud Heavy upfront investment of engineering resources (retraining, reapproval, ...)

- ✓ 70% reduction in engineering effort
- ✓ 35% reduction in lines of code
- ✓ Saved about 60-70% of their engineer's time

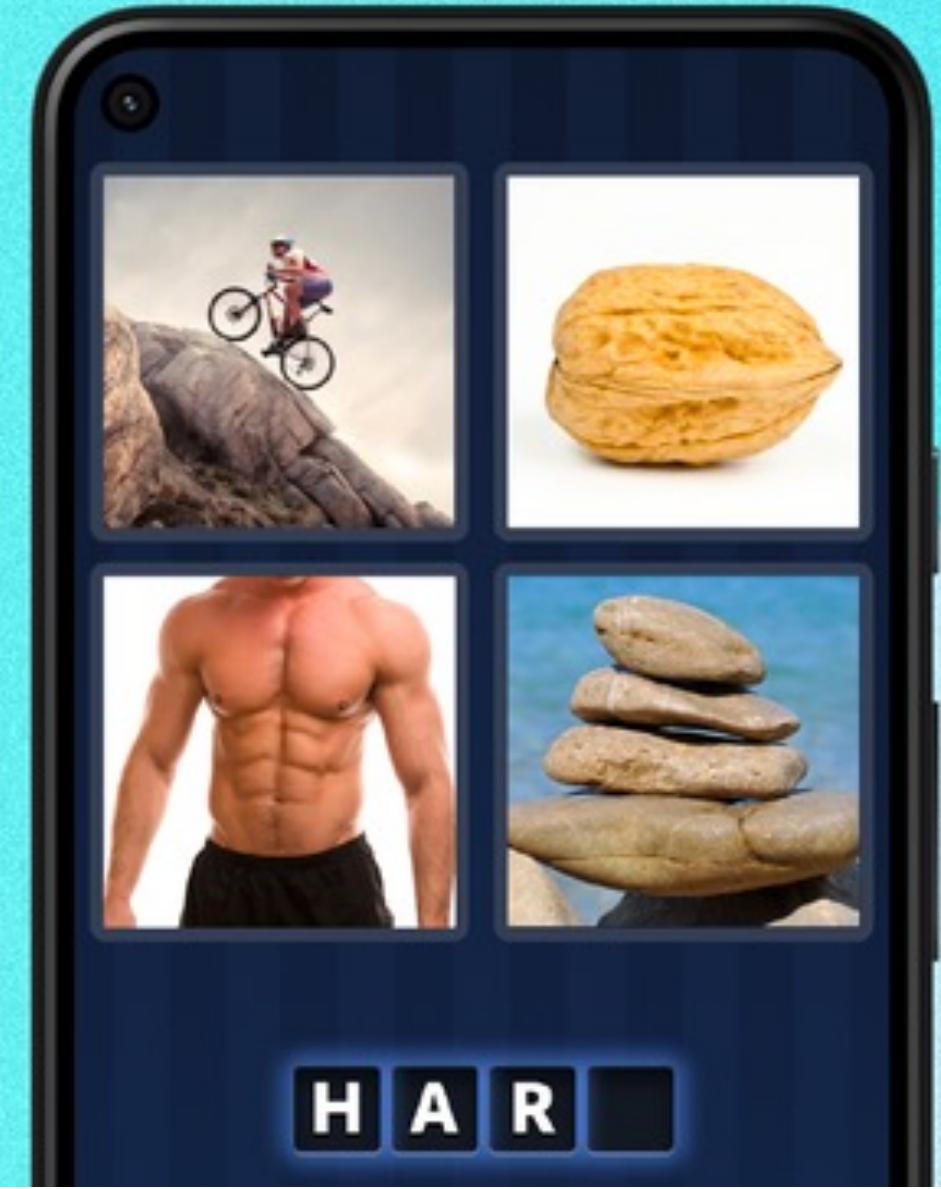


Search Cars & Trucks

# eBay

Building a new app to buy and sell hard-to-find cars for both Android and iOS in under a year

- ✓ Time-saving and design capabilities
- ✓ Hot reload
- ✓ Built-in testing
- ✓ Code sharing



# 4 Pics 1 Word

Giving 4 Pics 1 Word a tuneup

- No more troubleshooting cross-platform functionality
- Performs offline on low-end devices
- 99.9% crash-free rate

# Why Flutter?

Flutter compared to React Native



# Flutter vs. React Native

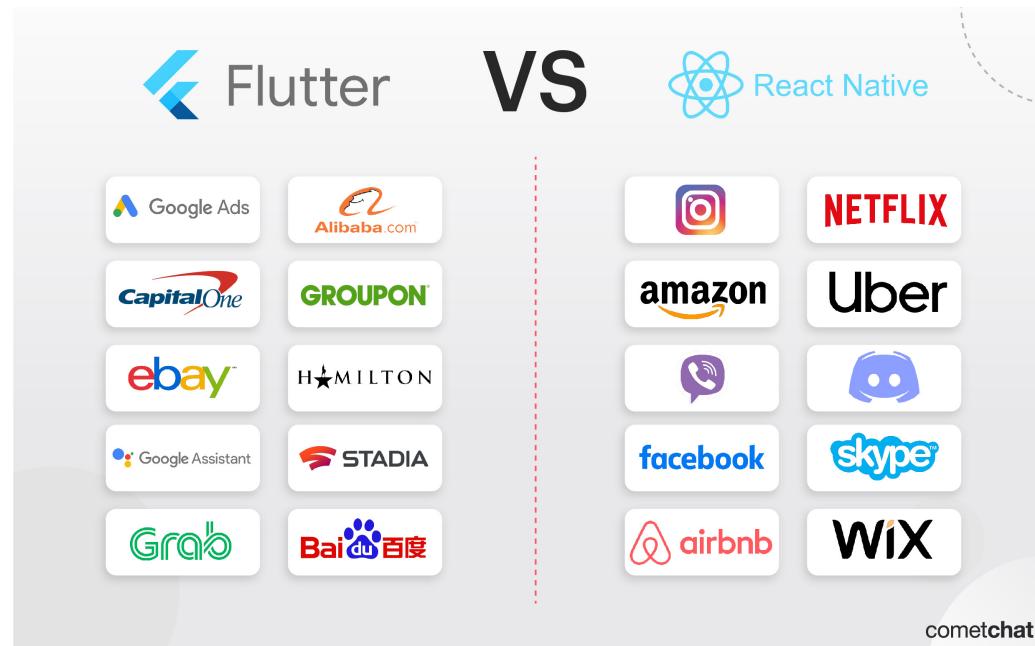
## Flutter

- Comprehensive set of prebuilt UI components following Material Design & Cupertino guidelines
- AOT compiled to native code, ensuring faster startup and performance
- Has a powerful graphics engine (Skia) that supports complex customizations and graphics (animations, ...)
- Although younger, it has a rapidly growing community

## React Native

- Core components, but for more complete UI, developers often rely on third-party libraries
- Uses JavaScript, which is interpreted at runtime and therefore only close to native performance
- While possible, achieving the same level of complexity as Flutter might require additional work & third-party libraries
- Established community with a vast number of libraries

# Flutter vs. React Native



# Why Flutter?

Flutter compared to native development

# Flutter vs. Native

## Flutter

- Cross-Platform
- Consistent design
- One codebase
- May require additional work for platform-specific features

## Native

- Supports only one platform
- Design can vary between devices
- Two separate codebases
- Direct access to native functionalities

# Summary

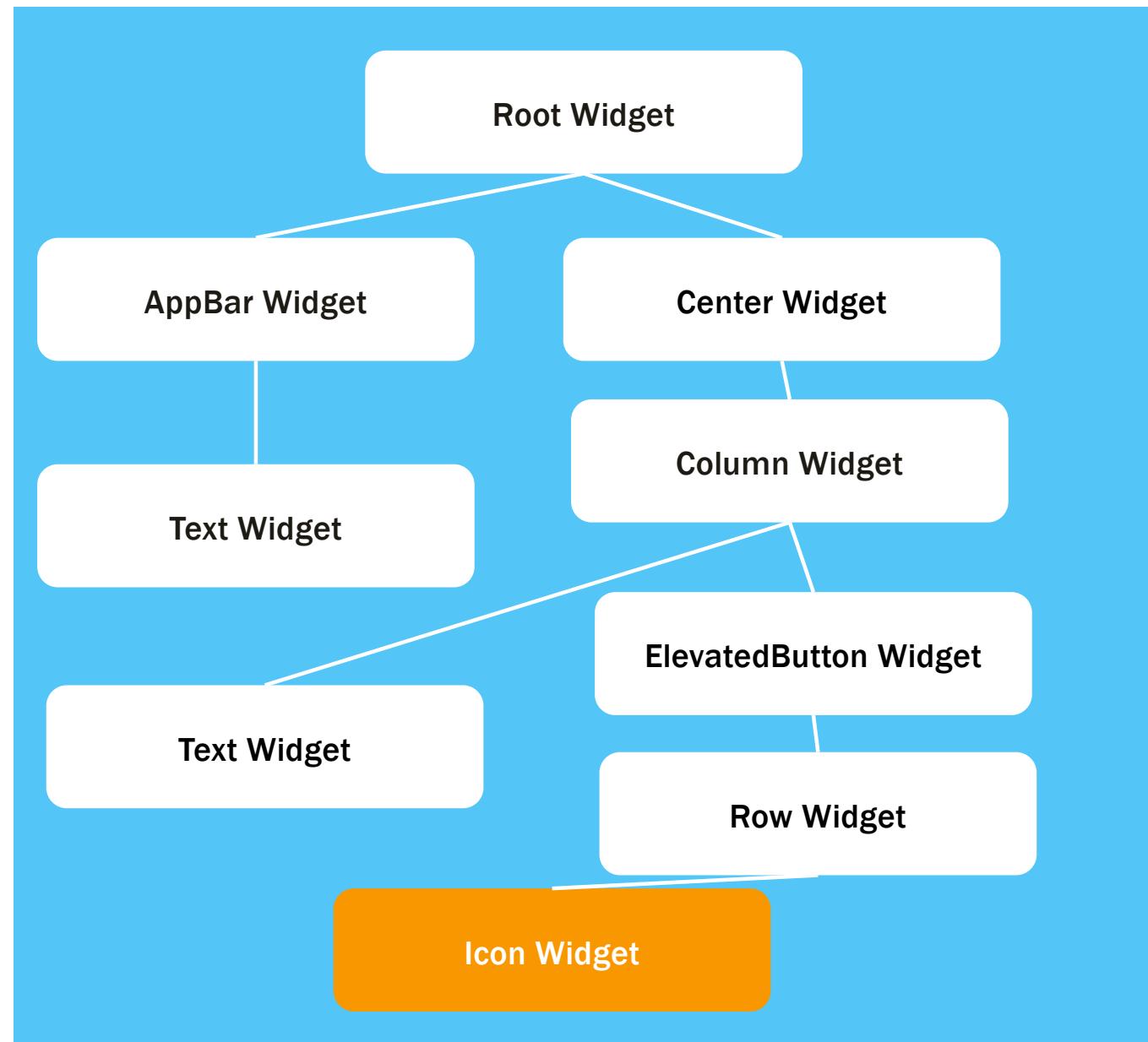
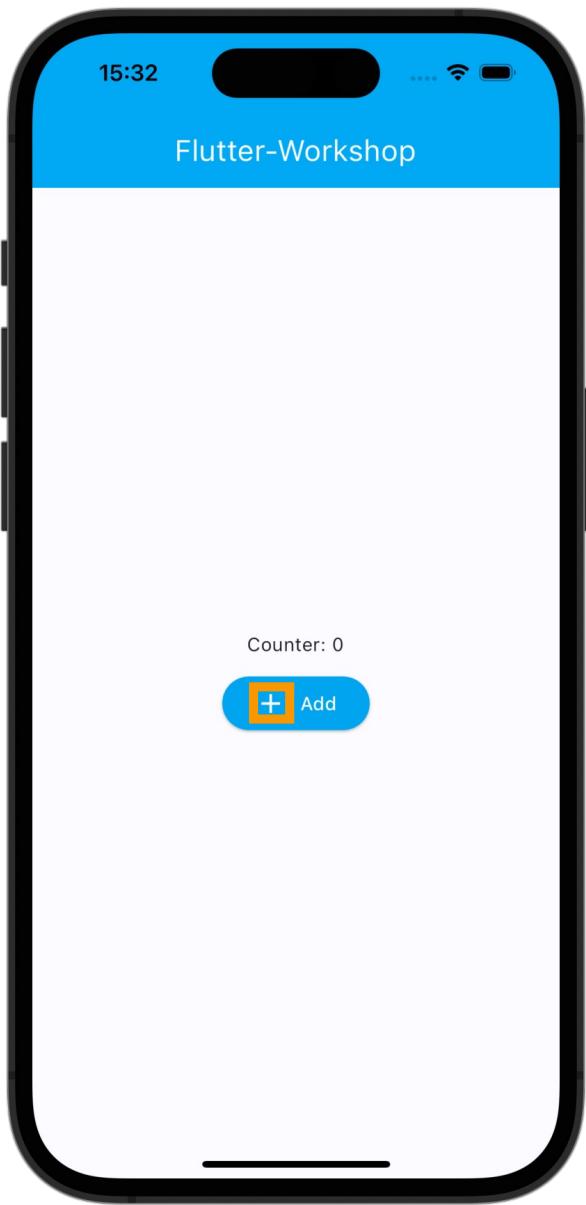


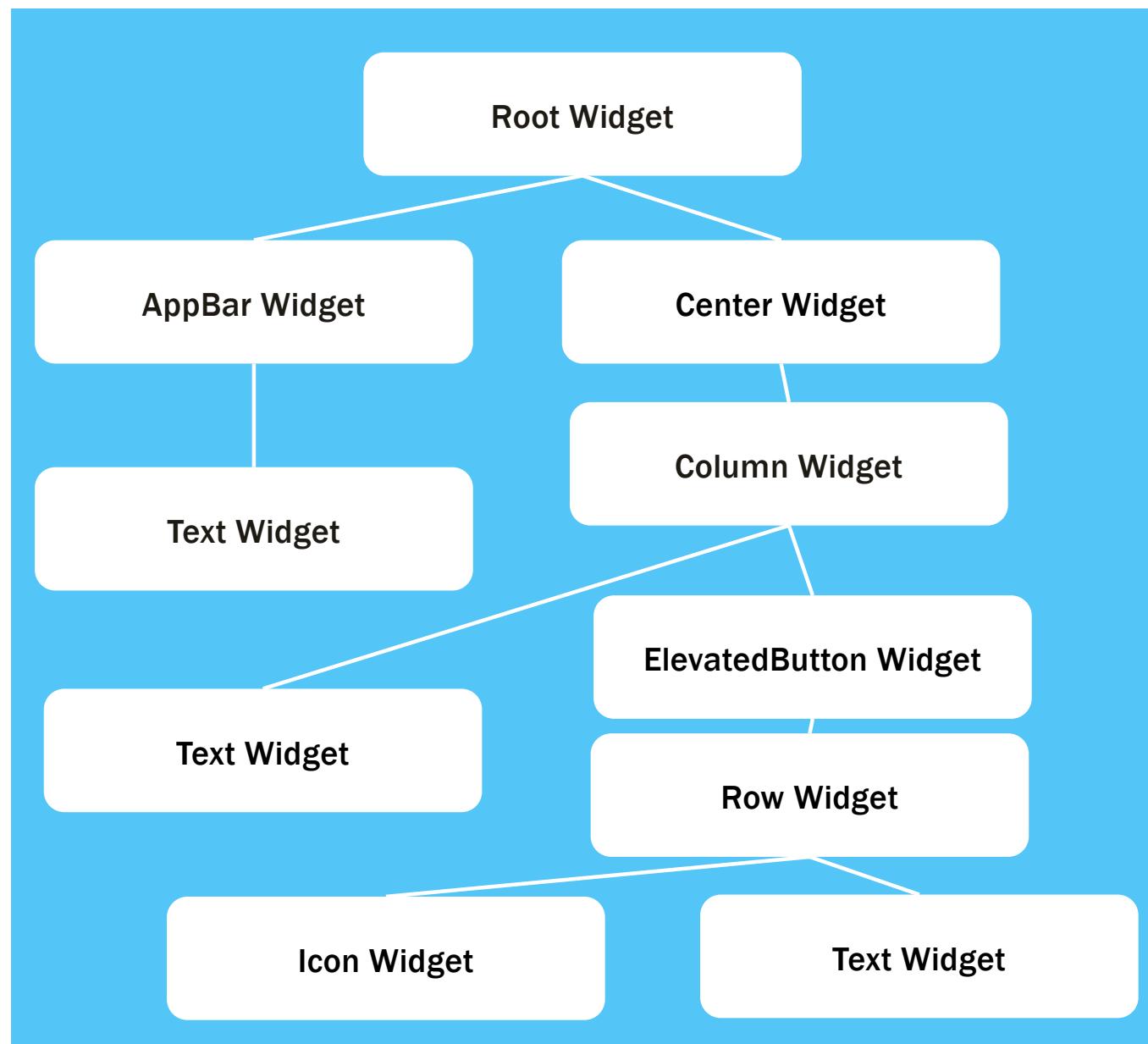
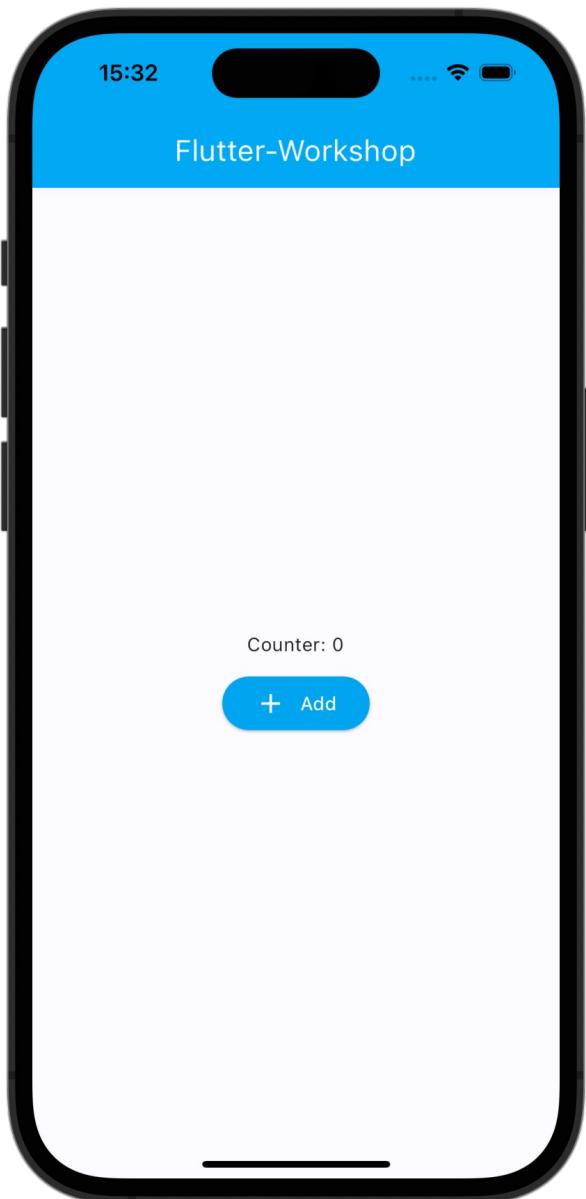
- Build once for all platforms
- Native performance
- Rich ecosystem & wide adoption
- Consistent design due to Skia Rendering-Engine

# Flutter Basics

Widgets







# Widgets

Properties

# Properties

Text Widget

style  
textAlign  
overflow  
maxLines  
  
...

ElevatedButton  
Widget

style  
onPressed  
  
...

Column Widget

mainAxisAlignment  
crossAxisAlignment  
  
...

AppBar Widget

title  
backgroundColor  
leading  
  
...

# Widgets

Stateless vs. Stateful

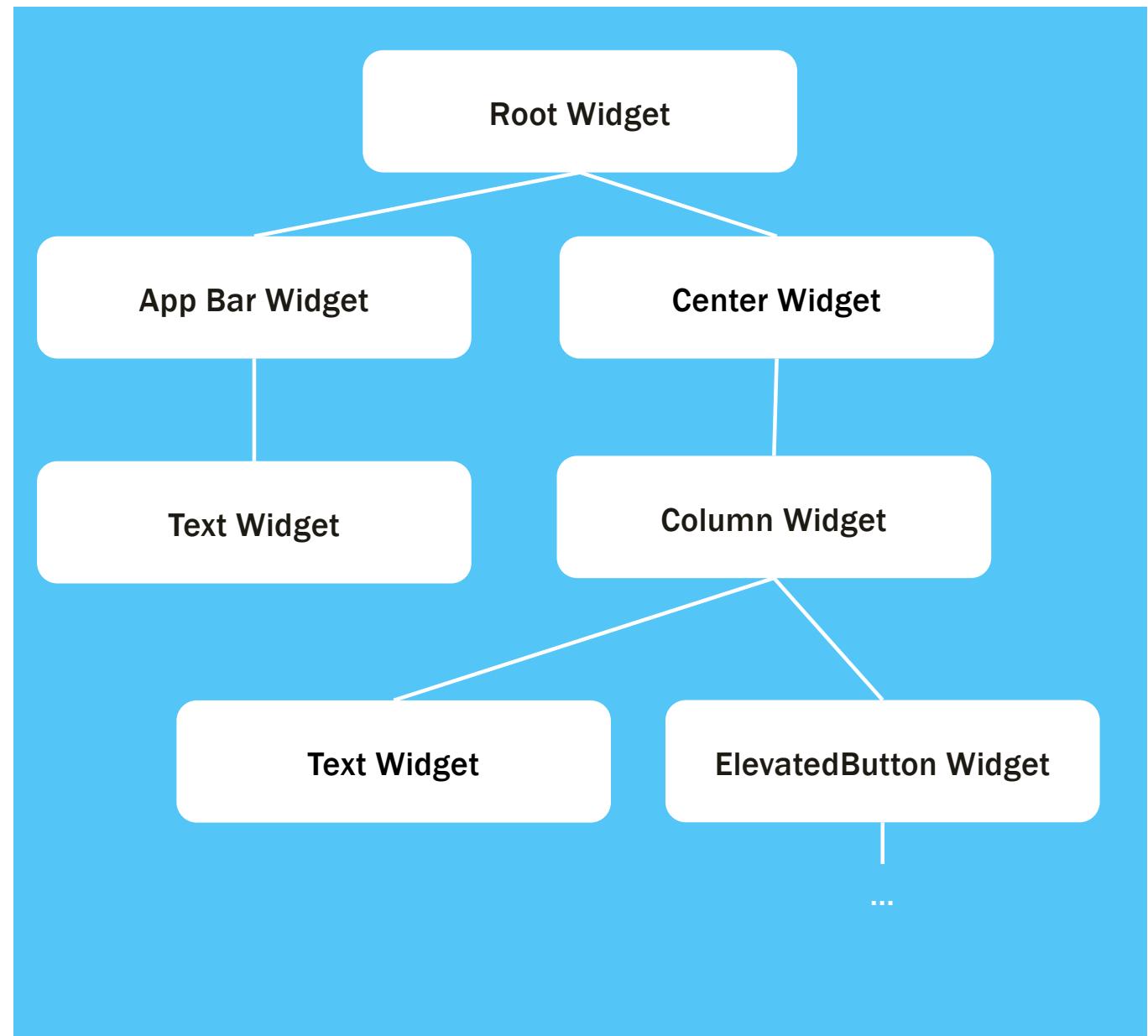
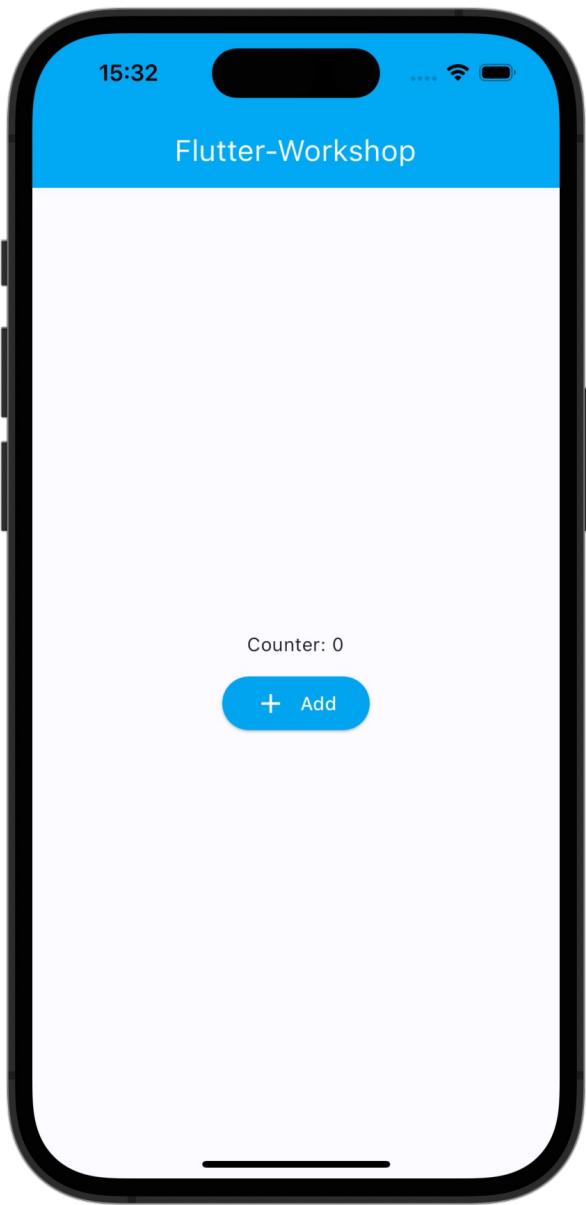
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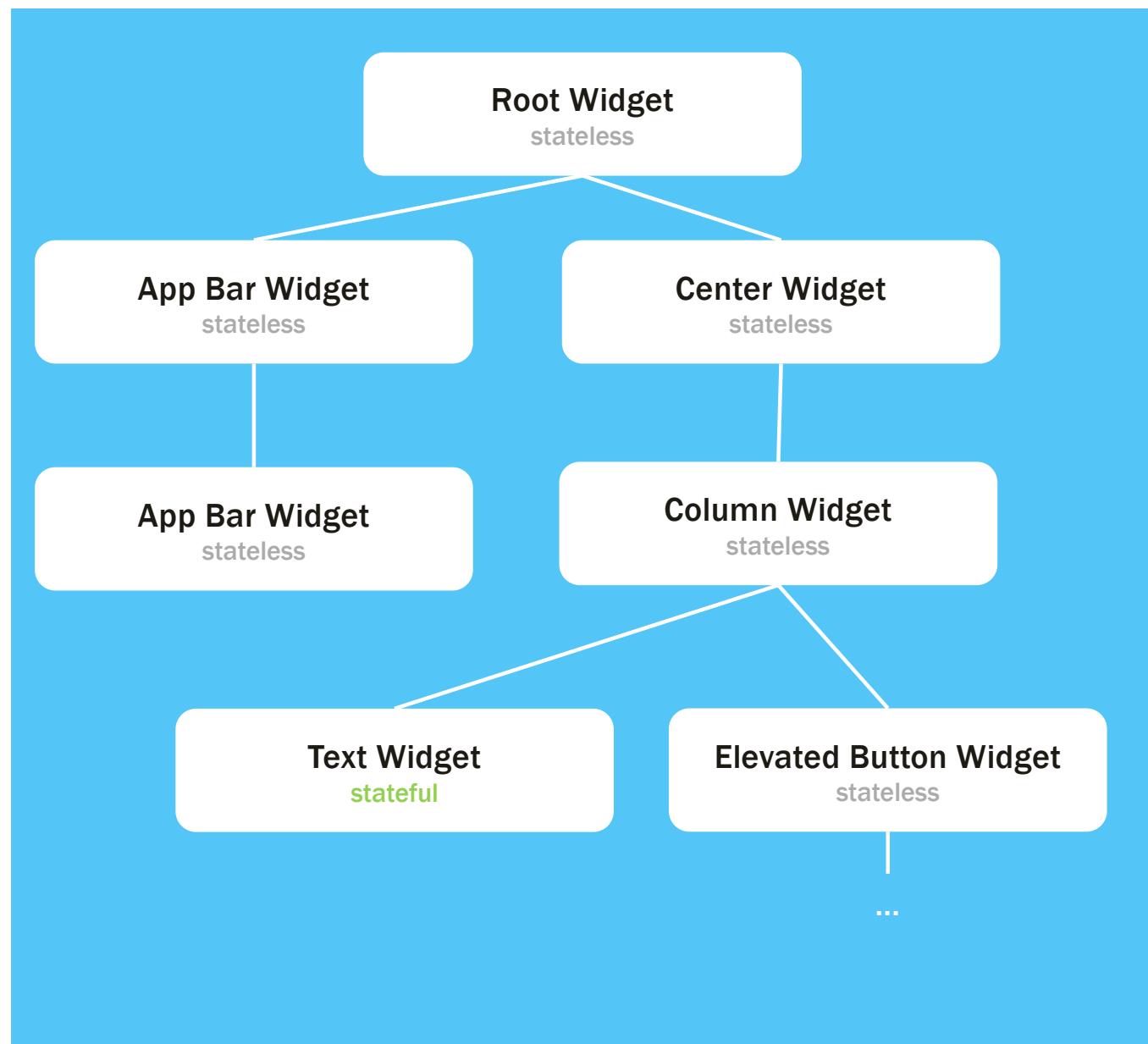
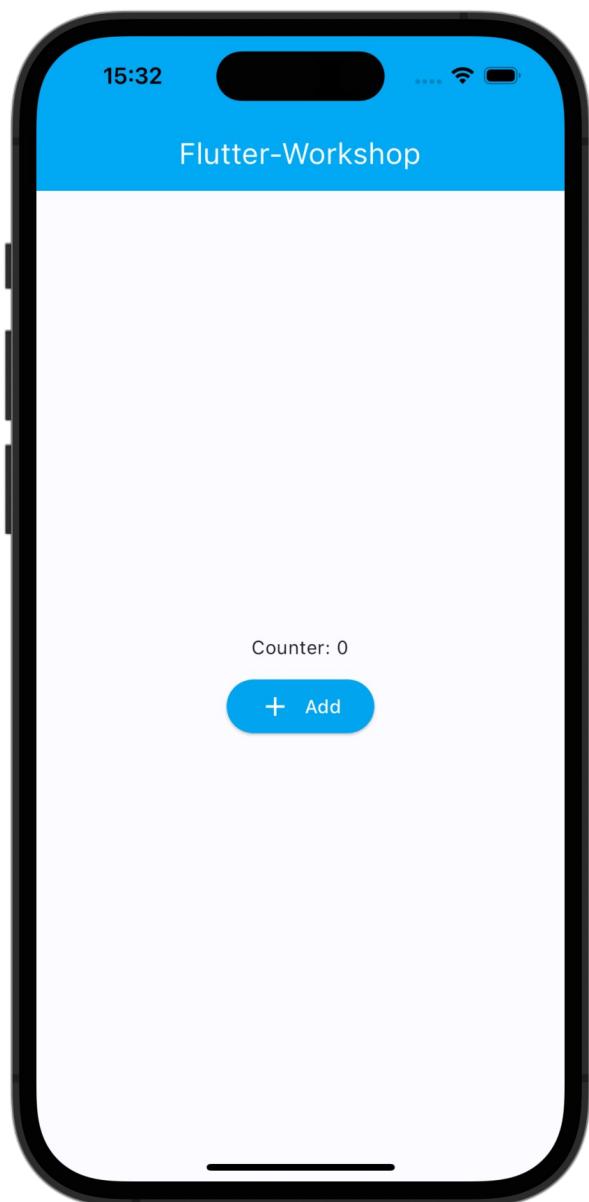
## Stateless

- “A widget that does not require mutable state.“
- Only needs to rerender when state in an ancestor widget changes

## Stateful

- “A widget that has mutable state.“
- Rerenders itself and all children every time its state changes



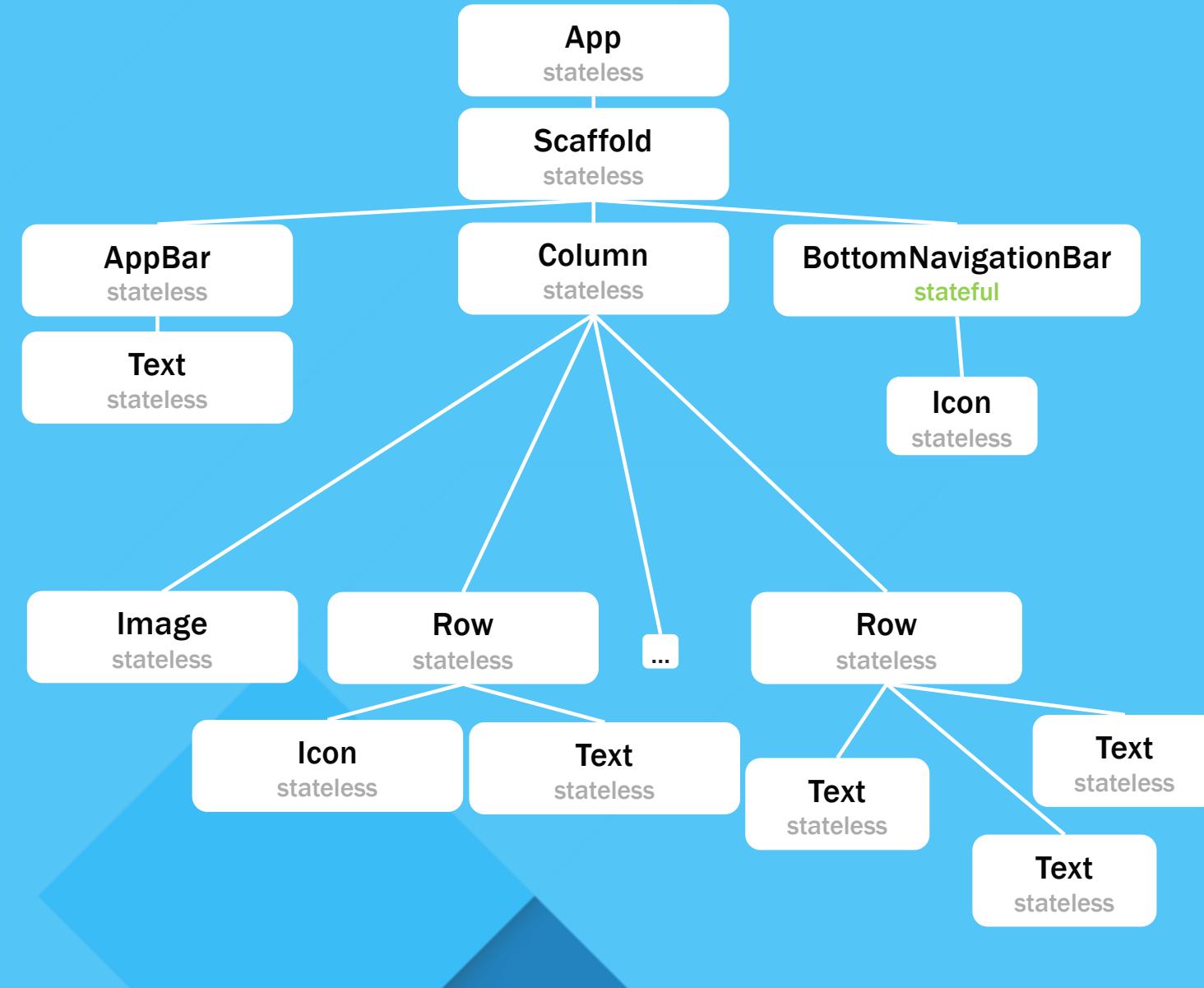




# Flutter Basics

Now it's your turn to find the Widgets





# Flutter Basics

What is BuildContext?

# BuildContext

- Every widget has a unique BuildContext
- A reference or handle to the location of a widget within the widget tree
- Allows you to access data or functions from ancestor widgets

# Summary



- **"Everything is a widget"**
- **A page is just a tree of widgets (including itself)**
- **There are stateless & stateful widgets**
- **Use BuildContext to navigate the tree**



# Dart Crash-Course

# Built-in types



```
int integer = 42;
```

```
String string = 'This is a string';
```

```
bool boolean = true || false;
```

```
double d = 3.1415;
```

```
List<int> numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5];
```

# Further built-in types

- Record/Tuple
- Set
- Map
- Null
- Object (Everything except for Null)
- Void

# Null safety



```
int? number = null;  
👉 Nullable type
```

# Control flow (conditional branching)



```
if (condition) {  
    // do something  
} else if (anotherCondition) {  
    // do something else  
} else {  
    // do something else  
}
```

# Control flow (while loop)



```
while (!isDone()) {  
    doSomething();  
}
```

# Functions



```
void doSomething() {  
    print('Hello World!');  
}  
  
bool isDone() {  
    return true;  
}  
  
while (!isDone()) {  
    doSomething();  
}
```

# Functions



```
bool isDone(int number) {  
    return number == 3;  
}  
  
int number = 0;  
while(!isDone(number)) {  
    doSomething();  
    number++;  
}
```

# Anonymous functions



```
void doSomething(  
    void Function(int count) something,  
    int count,  
) {  
    something(count);  
}  
  
doSomething((count) { ➔ Functions are also objects  
    print('Hello World! $count');  
}, number);
```

# Control flow (for loop)



```
var message = StringBuffer('Dart is fun');
for (var i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    message.write('!');
}
```

# Control flow (enhanced for loop)



```
final participants = <Participant>[];
for (final participant in participants) {
    print('Hallo ${participant.name}!');
}
```

# Classes



```
class Participant {  
    final String name;  
  
    const Participant(this.name);  
}  
👉 All members can be known at  
compile time
```

# Classes



```
class Participant {  
    final String name;  
    final int age;  
    final String role;  
    String _password;  
    Participant(  
        this.age, {  
            required this.name,  
            this.role = 'member',  
            required String password,  
        }) : _password = password;  
  
    void greet() {  
        print('Hello $name!');  
    }  
    bool get hasFun => true;  
    set password(String newPassword) {  
        if (newPassword.length < 8) {  
            throw Exception('Password must be at least 8 characters long');  
        }  
        _password = newPassword;  
    }  
}
```

# Classes



```
final participant = Participant(  
Positional parameter ↗ 19,  
                                name: 'Julian Hartl',  
                                password: 'mysecretpassword', ↗ Named parameters  
                                );  
participant.greet(); ↗ Call the greet method  
Set new password ↗ participant.password = 'myverysecretpassword';  
print(participant.hasFun()); ↗ Use hasFun getter
```

# Summary

Me: I'm a dart developer  
Friend: Cool, so you do flutter?



- Very Java/JavaScript like language
- Easy to pick up
- Lots of modern features

# Shopping List App

# Demo

Shopping List App

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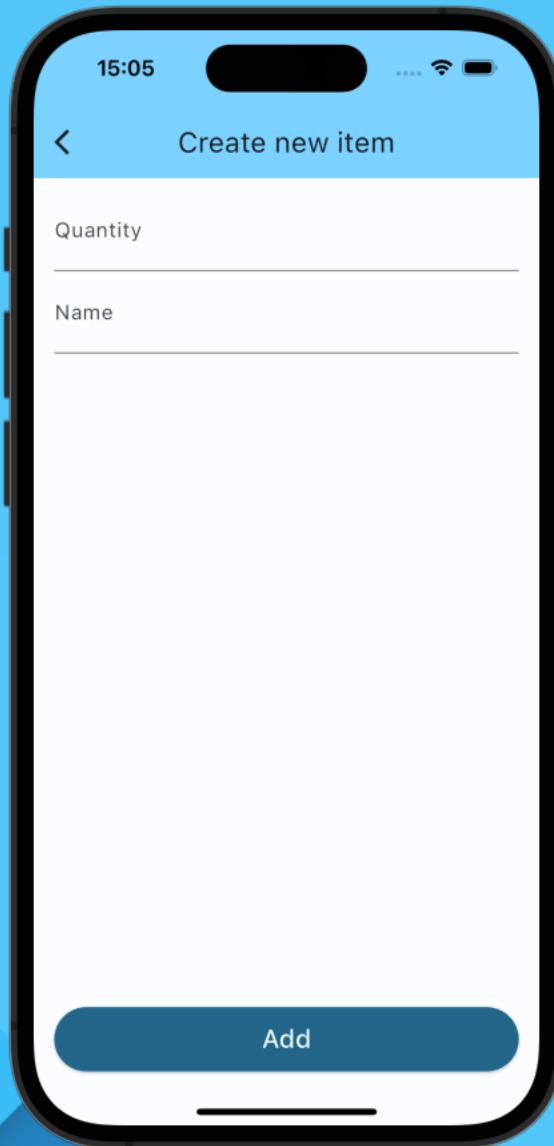
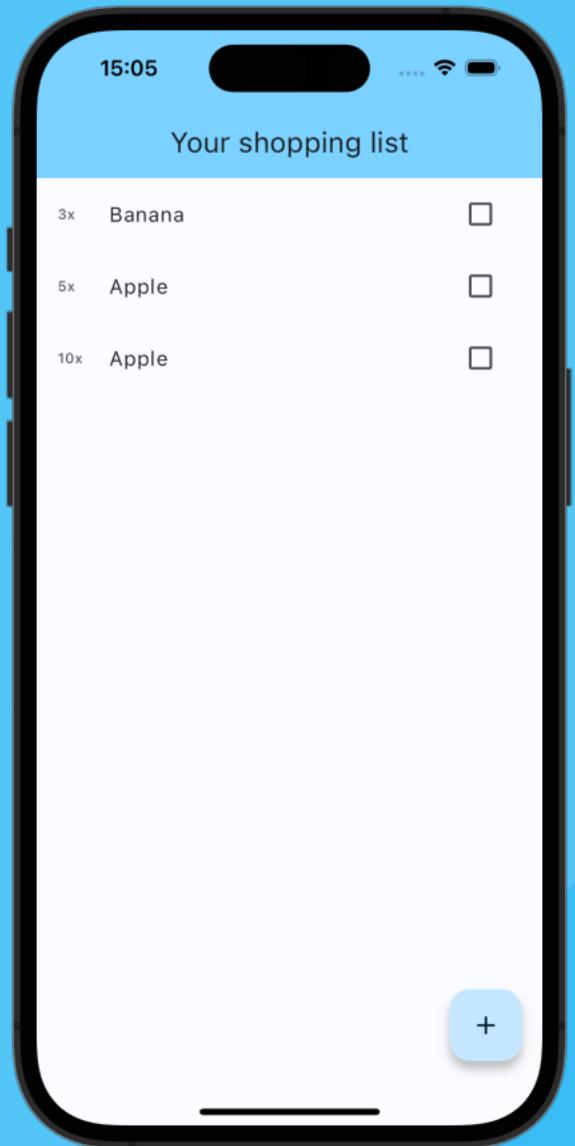


## Your shopping list

3x Banana

5x Apple

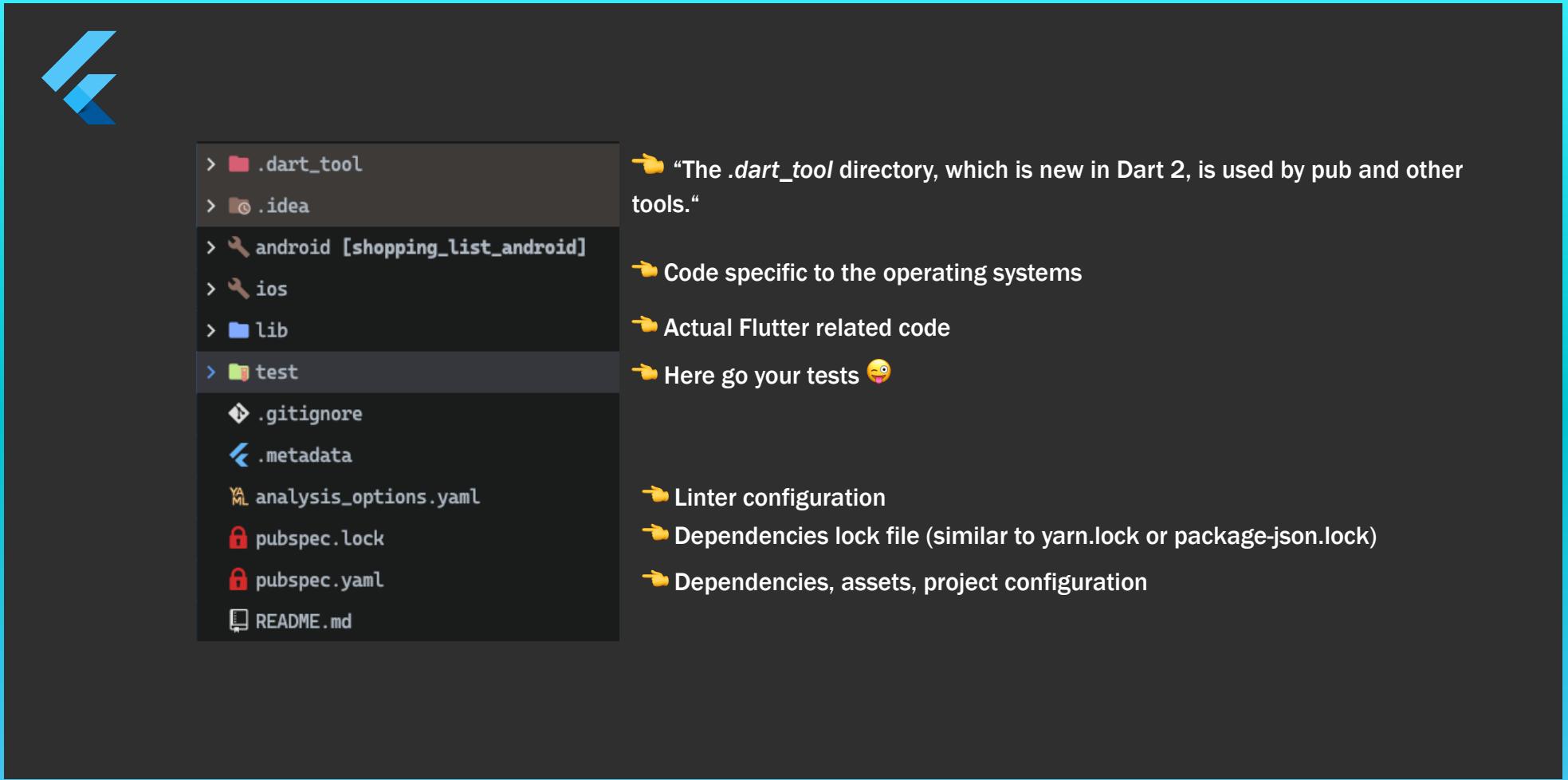
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# “Live”-Coding

Shopping List App





# pubspec.yaml

Project configuration

```
 name: shopping_list
description: A new Flutter project. ➔ Project configuration
publish_to: 'none'

version: 1.0.0+1      ➔ Version + build number

environment:
  sdk: '>=3.1.3 <4.0.0'    ➔ Supported dart versions

dependencies:        ➔ Any packages which are included in the bundled app
  flutter:
    sdk: flutter
  cupertino_icons: ^1.0.2

dev_dependencies:   ➔ Any packages that are needed during development, but should not be
  flutter_test:     bundled in the final app
    sdk: flutter
  flutter_lints: ^2.0.0
```

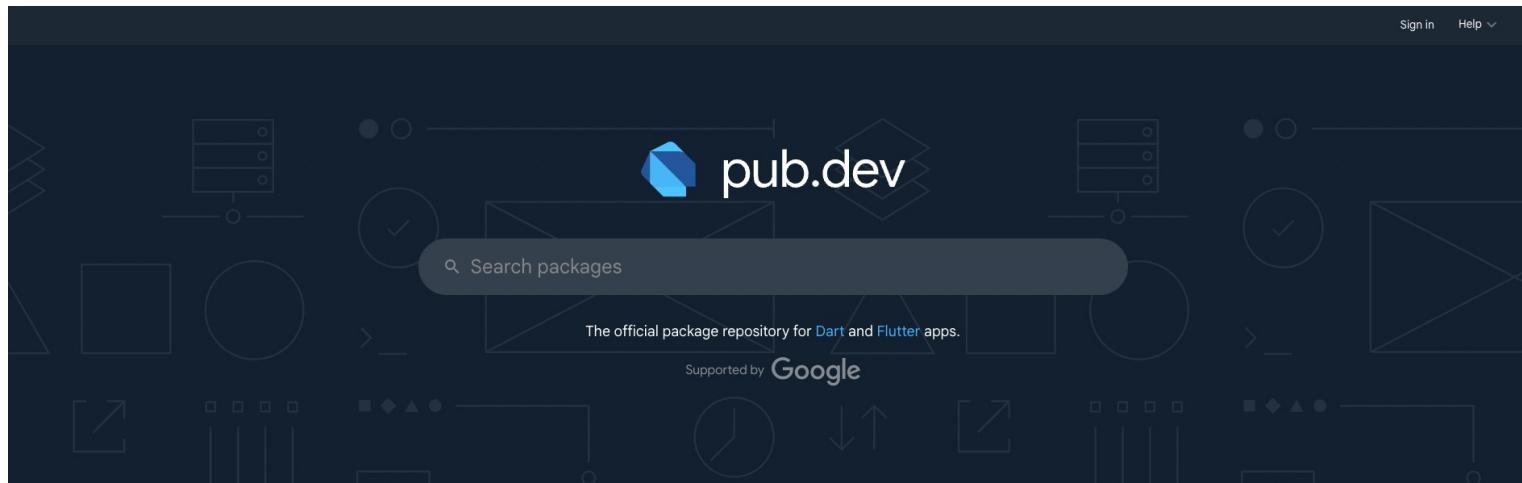


```
flutter:  
  uses-material-design: true  
  assets:  
    - images/a_dot_burr.jpeg  
    - images/a_dot_ham.jpeg      ➔ Any assets, that should be included in the bundled app  
  fonts:  
    - family: Schyler          ➔ Definition of customs fonts  
      fonts:  
        - asset: fonts/Schyler-Regular.ttf  
        - asset: fonts/Schyler-Italic.ttf  
          style: italic  
    - family: Trajan Pro  
      fonts:  
        - asset: fonts/TrajanPro.ttf  
        - asset: fonts/TrajanPro_Bold.ttf  
          weight: 700
```

# Pub

The package manager

# pub.dev



The screenshot shows the pub.dev homepage with a dark background featuring abstract white geometric shapes. At the top center is the pub.dev logo with a blue Dart icon. Below it is a search bar with the placeholder "Search packages". A sub-header reads "The official package repository for Dart and Flutter apps." and "Supported by Google". The main section is titled "Flutter Favorites" and describes packages selected by the Flutter Ecosystem Committee. It lists four packages in cards:

- firebase\_auth**: Flutter plugin for Firebase Auth, enabling authentication using passwords, phone. ([pub.dev](https://pub.dev/packages/firebase_auth))
- msix**: A command-line tool that creates Msix installer from your flutter windows-build files. ([pub.dev](https://pub.dev/packages/msix))
- auto\_size\_text**: Flutter widget that automatically resizes text to fit perfectly within its bounds. ([pub.dev](https://pub.dev/packages/auto_size_text))
- built\_value\_generator**: Value types with builders, Dart classes as enums, and serialization. This library is the... ([pub.dev](https://pub.dev/packages/built_value_generator))

# Adding a package

1. Search for a package

# Searching for a package

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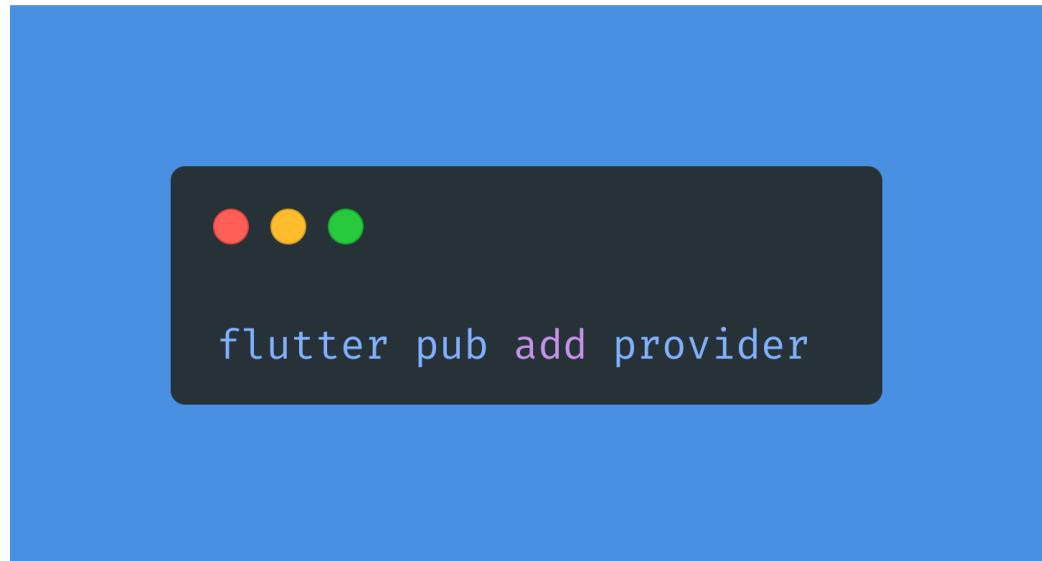


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1. Search for a package
2. Add the package to the project
3. Resolve & fetch dependencies

# Resolving & fetching dependencies



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VERSIONS**

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# Getting Started

Shopping List App



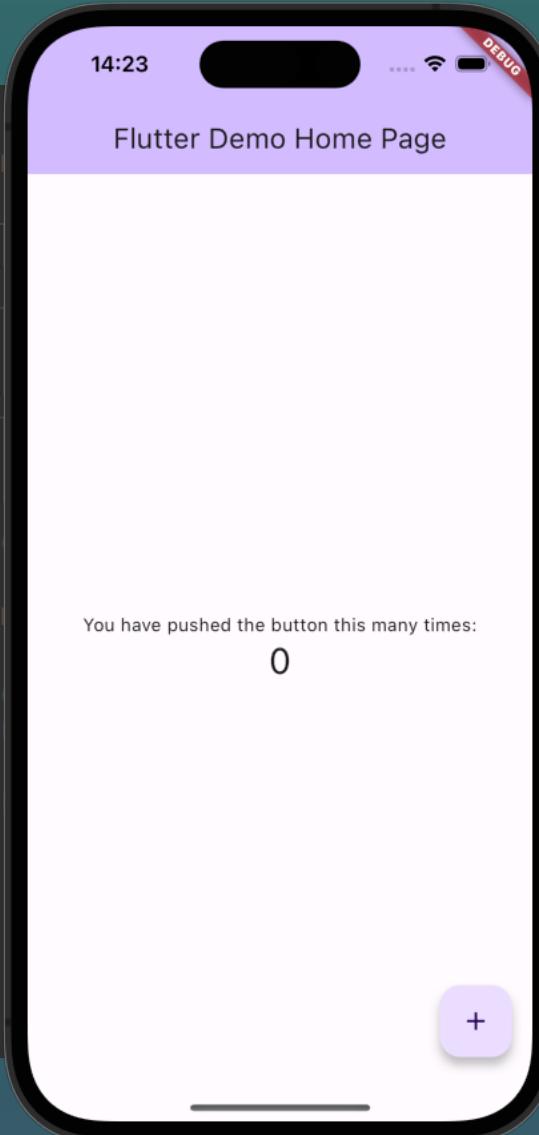
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import 'package:flutter/material.dart';

void main() {
    runApp(const MyApp());
}

class MyApp extends StatelessWidget {
    const MyApp({super.key});

    @override
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {
        return MaterialApp(
            title: 'Flutter Demo',
            theme: ThemeData(
                colorScheme: ColorScheme.fromSeed(seedColor: Colors.deepPurple),
                useMaterial3: true,
            ),
            home: const MyHomePage(title: 'Flutter Demo Home Page'),
        );
    }
}
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```





```
import 'package:flutter/material.dart'; ➔ Gives access to prebuilt widgets according to
void main() {                                         Material-UI Guidelines
    runApp(const MyApp()); ➔ Entry point of the application
}

class MyApp extends StatelessWidget { ➔ Extending from StatelessWidget to define a
    const MyApp({super.key});                         stateless widget

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# MaterialApp



“A convenience widget that wraps a number of widgets that are commonly required for Material Design applications. It builds upon a WidgetsApp by adding material-design specific functionality [...]”

# Types of apps

## MaterialApp

- Provides styles to material widgets according to the Material design language for iOS, Android and web
- Most commonly used

## CupertinoApp

- Provides styles to cupertino widgets based on Apple's Human Interface Guidelines
- Used to build standard iOS-styled apps

## WidgetsApp

- Basis for the other two apps
- Rarely to never used by actual Flutter developers



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          ),
        ),
        useMaterial3: true,
      ),
      home: const MyHomePage(title: 'Flutter Demo Home Page'),
    );
  }
}
```

# How do I run the app?

Using the flutter cli

# Running the app

- Looks for any connected device (simulators, physical devices, ...)
- When started, type “r” to hot reload and “R“ to hot restart



14:46

Your shopping list

You have pushed the button this many times:

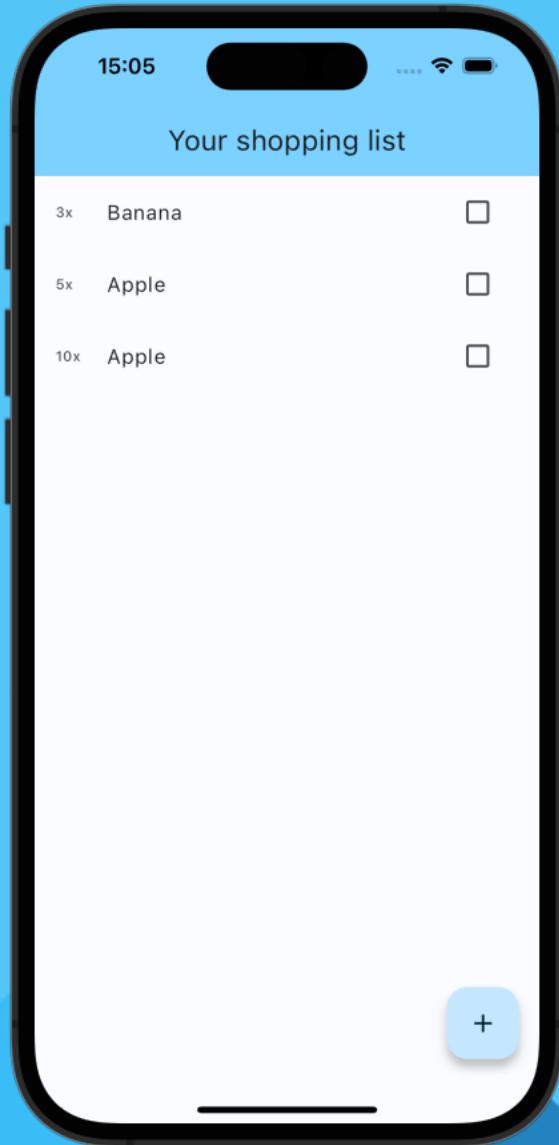
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```
class MyApp extends StatelessWidget {  
  const MyApp({super.key});  
  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return MaterialApp(  
      title: 'Shopping list',  
      debugShowCheckedModeBanner: false,  
      theme: ThemeData(  Hide DEBUG banner  
        colorScheme: ColorScheme.fromSeed(  
          seedColor: const Color(  
            0xff38bdf8,  
          ),  
          ),  
        useMaterial3: true,  
      ),  
      home: const MyHomePage(title: 'Your shopping list'),  
    );  
  }  
}
```

# Shopping list app

Creating the first page



14:46

Your shopping list

You have pushed the button this many times:

0



```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
    const MyHomePage({super.key});  
  
    @override  
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
        return const Placeholder();  
    }  
}
```

14:46

Your shopping list

You have pushed the button this many

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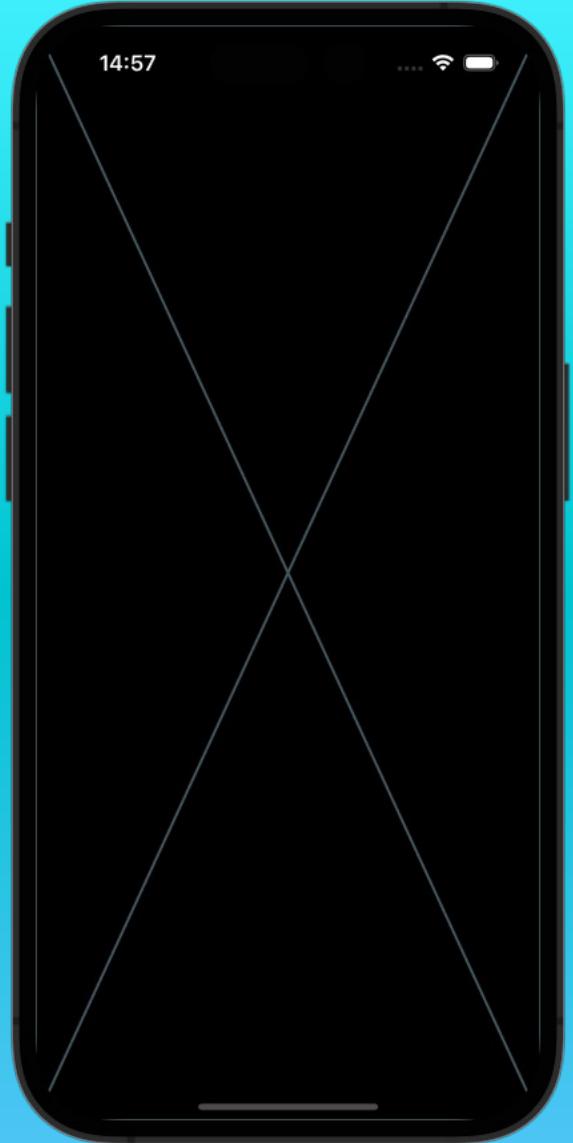
No usages

```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
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    @override  
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
        return MaterialApp(  
            title: 'Shopping list',  
            debugShowCheckedModeBanner: false,  
            theme: ThemeData(  
                colorScheme: ColorScheme.fromSeed(  
                    seedColor: const Color(  
                        value: 0xff38bdf8,  
                    ), // Color  
                ), // ColorScheme.fromSeed  
                useMaterial3: true,  
            ), // ThemeData  
            home: const MyHomePage(title: 'Your shopping list'),  
        ); // MaterialApp  
    }  
}
```



```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
    const MyHomePage({super.key});
```



A black iPhone X smartphone is shown on the left side of the image, positioned vertically. The screen is off, showing a dark blue gradient background. The phone has a black frame and rounded corners. At the top of the phone's frame, there are three small white icons: signal strength, battery level, and a central dot. The time "14:57" is displayed at the top left corner of the phone's screen.

14:57



```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
  const MyHomePage({super.key, required this.title});  
  
  final String title;  
  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return const Placeholder();  
  }  
}
```

# Scaffold

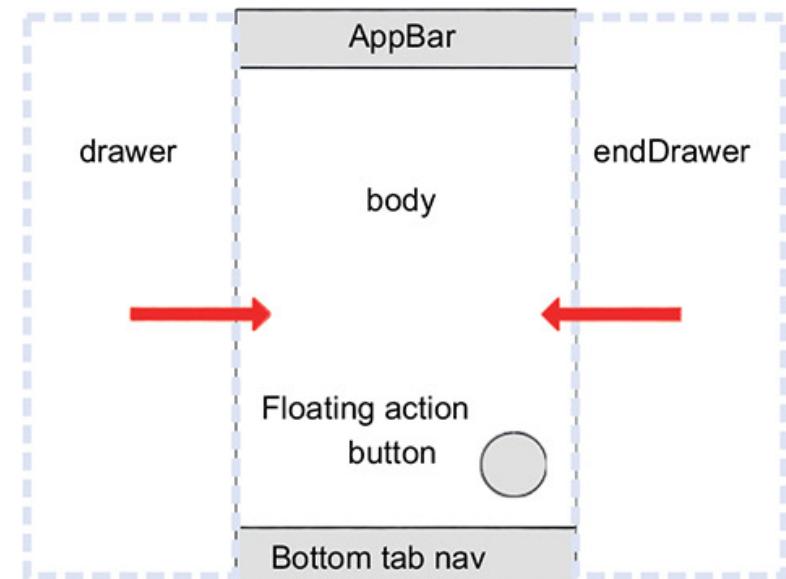


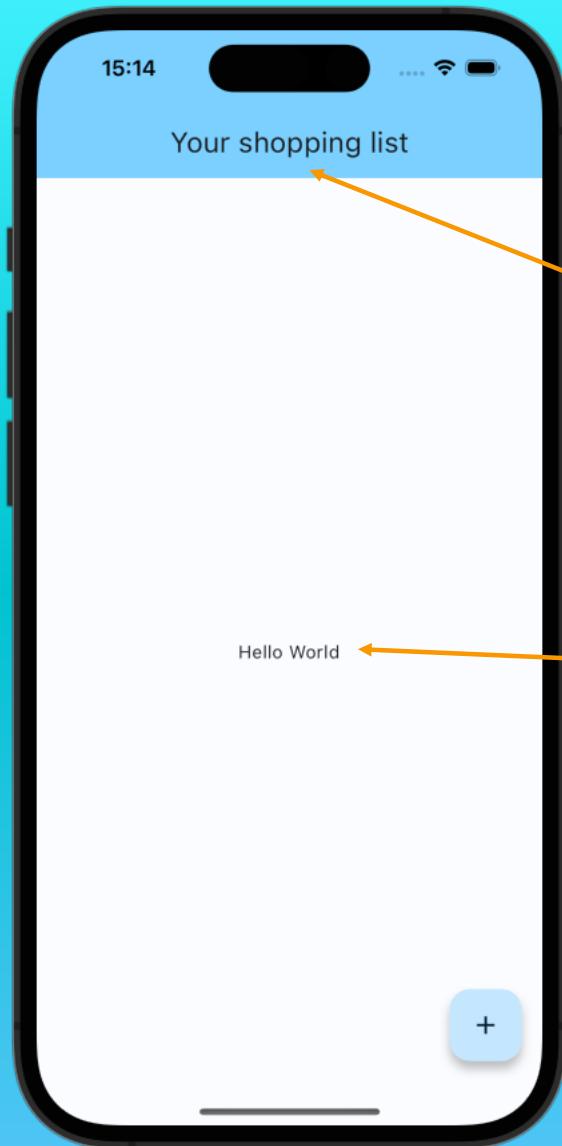
“Implements the basic Material Design visual layout structure.“

# Scaffold

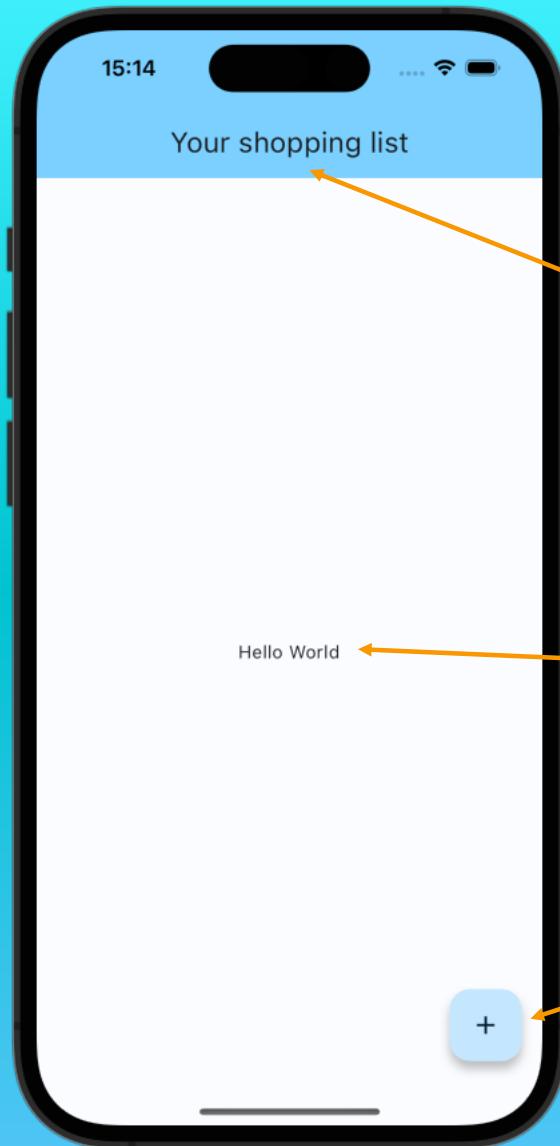


- **appBar:** “An app bar to display at the top of the scaffold.“
- **body:** “The primary content of the scaffold.“
- **floatingActionButton:** “A button displayed floating above body, in the bottom right corner.“
- **backgroundColor:** “The color of the Material widget that underlies the entire scaffold.“
- see all properties [here](#)





```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
    const MyHomePage({super.key, required this.title});  
  
    final String title;  
  
    @override  
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
        return Scaffold(  
            appBar: AppBar(  
                backgroundColor:  
                    Theme.of(context).colorScheme.inversePrimary,  
                title: Text(title),  
            ),  
            body: const Center(  
                child: Text('Hello World'),  
            ),  
            floatingActionButton: FloatingActionButton(  
                onPressed: () {},  
                child: const Icon(Icons.add),  
            ),  
        );  
    }  
}
```



```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
    const MyHomePage({super.key, required this.title});  
  
    final String title;  
  
    @override  
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
        return Scaffold(  
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            ),  
        );  
    }  
}
```

# Center



**“A widget that centers its child within itself.“**

# Center



“A widget that centers its child within itself.”



# AppBar

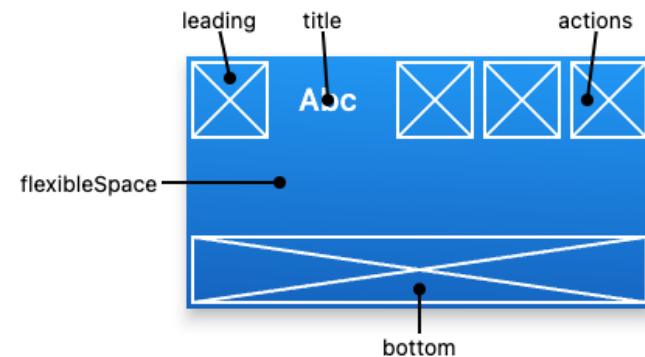


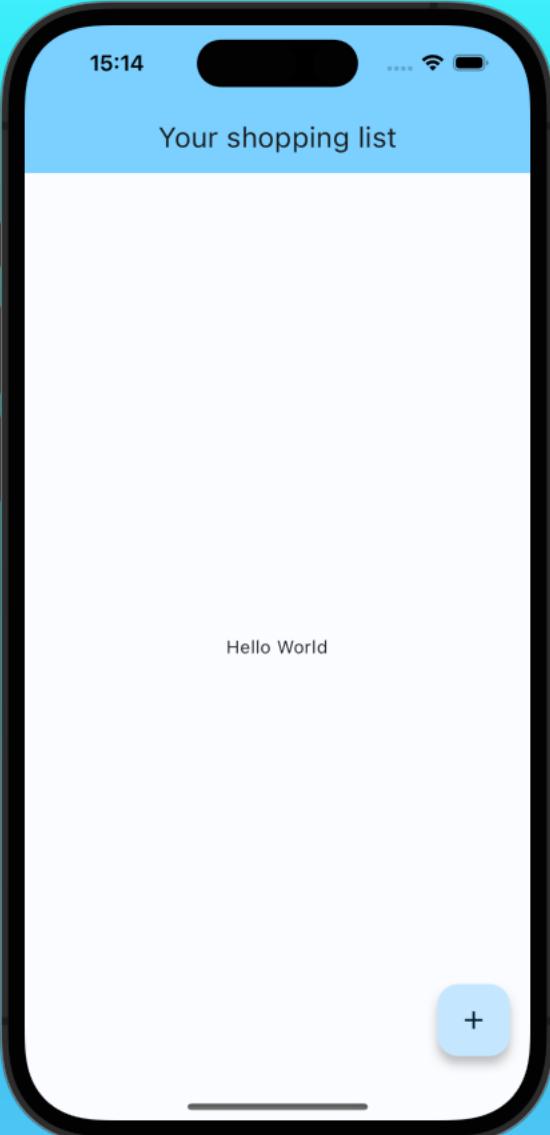
“A Material Design app bar.“

# AppBar



- **title:** “The primary widget displayed in the app bar.”
- **actions:** “A list of Widgets to display in a row after the title widget.”
- **leading:** “A widget to display before the toolbar’s title.”
- **bottom:** “This widget appears across the bottom of the app bar.”
- **see all properties [here](#)**





15:14

Your shopping list

Hello World



```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
  const MyHomePage({super.key, required this.title});  
  
  final String title;  
  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return Scaffold(  
      appBar: AppBar(  
        backgroundColor:  
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.inversePrimary,  
        title: Text(title),  
      ),  
      body: const Center(  
        child: Text('Hello World'),  
      ),  
      floatingActionButton: FloatingActionButton(  
        onPressed: () {},  
        child: const Icon(Icons.add),  
      ),  
    );  
  }  
}
```

# Shopping list app

Defining the models

15:14

Your shopping list

Hello World



```
class ShoppingList {  
    final List<ShoppingListItem> items;  
  
    ShoppingList() : items = [];  
}  
  
class ShoppingListItem {  
    final int id;  
    final String name;  
    final int quantity;  
    bool isBought;  
  
    ShoppingListItem({  
        required this.id,  
        required this.name,  
        required this.quantity,  
        required this.isBought,  
    });  
}
```

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Your shopping list

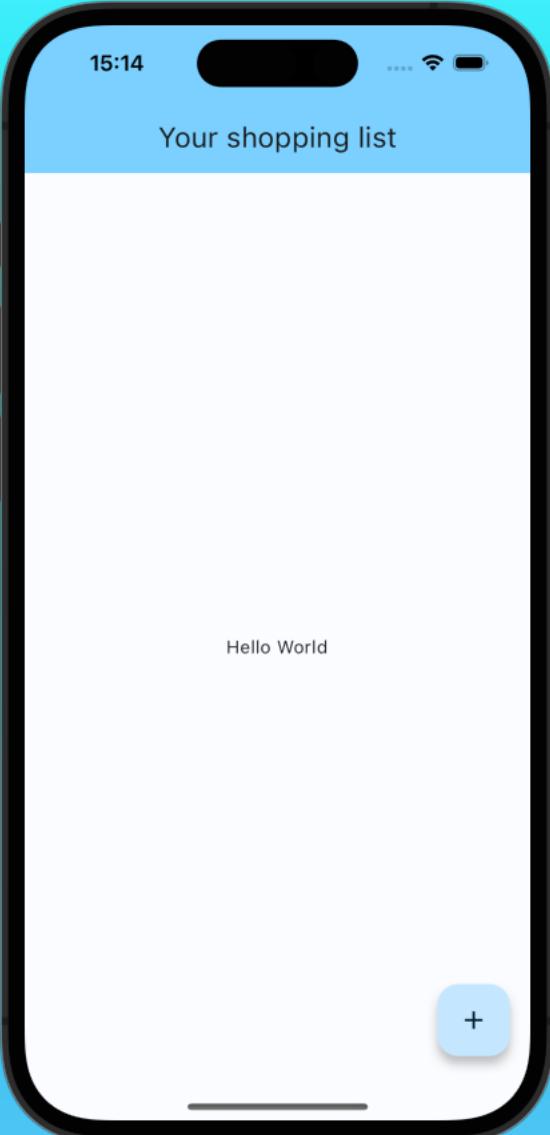
Hello World



```
class ShoppingList {  
    final List<ShoppingListItem> items;  
  
    static int _nextId = 0;  
  
    ShoppingList() : items = [];  
  
    void addItem({  
        required String name,  
        required int quantity,  
    }) {  
        items.add(  
            ShoppingListItem(  
                id: _nextId++,  
                name: name,  
                quantity: quantity,  
                isBought: false,  
            ),  
        );  
    }  
}
```

# List of ShoppingListItems

Shopping List App



15:14

Your shopping list

Hello World



```
class ShoppingListView extends StatefulWidget {  
  const ShoppingListView({super.key});  
  
  @override  
  State<ShoppingListView> createState() =>  
  _ShoppingListViewState();  
}  
  
class _ShoppingListViewState extends State<ShoppingListView> {  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return const Placeholder();  
  }  
}
```

# ListView

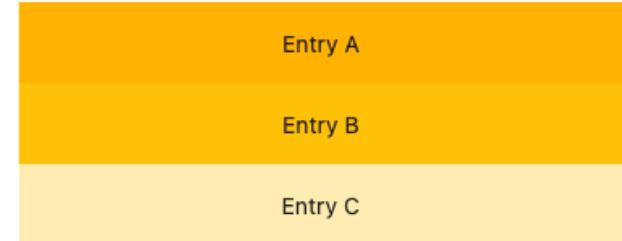


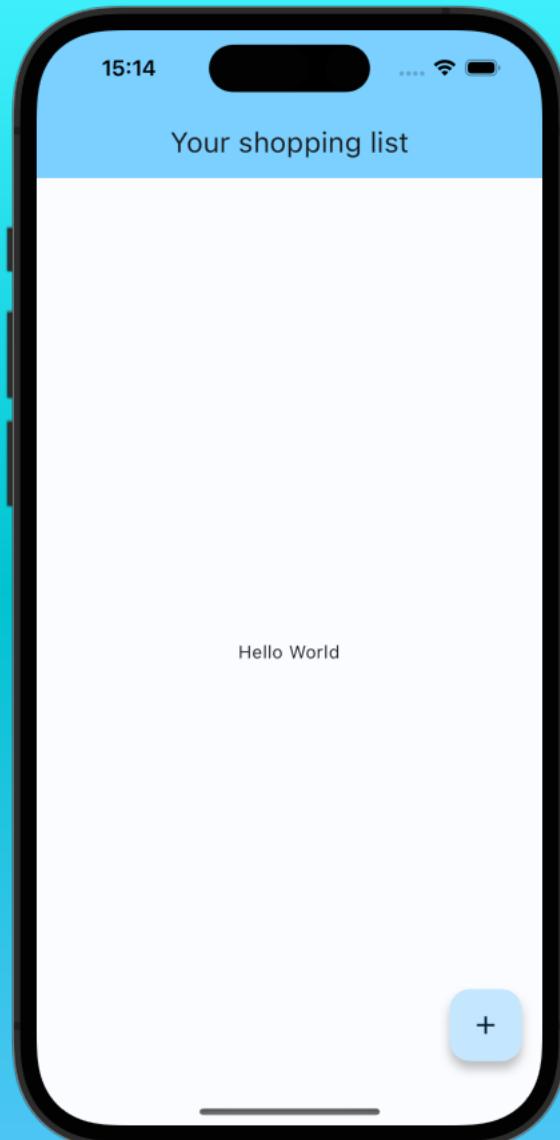
“A scrollable list of widgets arranged linearly.“

# ListView



- **children:** The widgets layed out along the main axis.
- **scrollDirection:** “The axis along which the scroll view’s offset increases.”
- **shrinkWrap:** “Whether the extent of the scroll view in the scrollDirection should be determined by the contents being viewed.”
- **controller:** “An object that can be used to control the position to which this scroll view is scrolled.”
- **see all properties [here](#)**





# ListTile



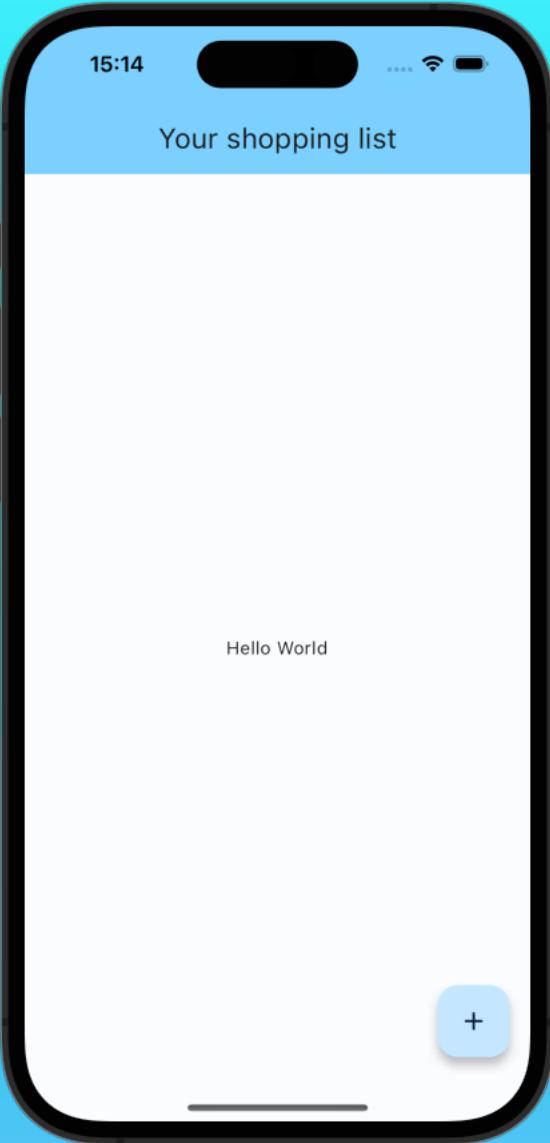
“A single fixed-height row that typically contains some text as well as a leading or trailing icon.”

# ListTile



- **title:** “The primary content of the list tile.”
- **leading:** “A widget to display before the title.”
- **trailing:** “A widget to display after the title.”
- **subtitle:** “Additional content displayed below the title.”
- **onTap:** “Called when the user taps this list tile.”
- **see all properties [here](#)**

|                         |   |   |
|-------------------------|---|---|
|                         | One-line ListTile   | ⋮ |
|                         | One-line with leading widget  | ⋮ |
|                         | One-line with trailing widget   | ⋮ |
|                         | One-line with both widgets  | ⋮ |
| One-line dense ListTile |   |   |
|                         | Two-line ListTile<br>Here is a second line                                | ⋮ |
|                         | Three-line ListTile<br>A sufficiently long subtitle warrants three lines. | ⋮ |

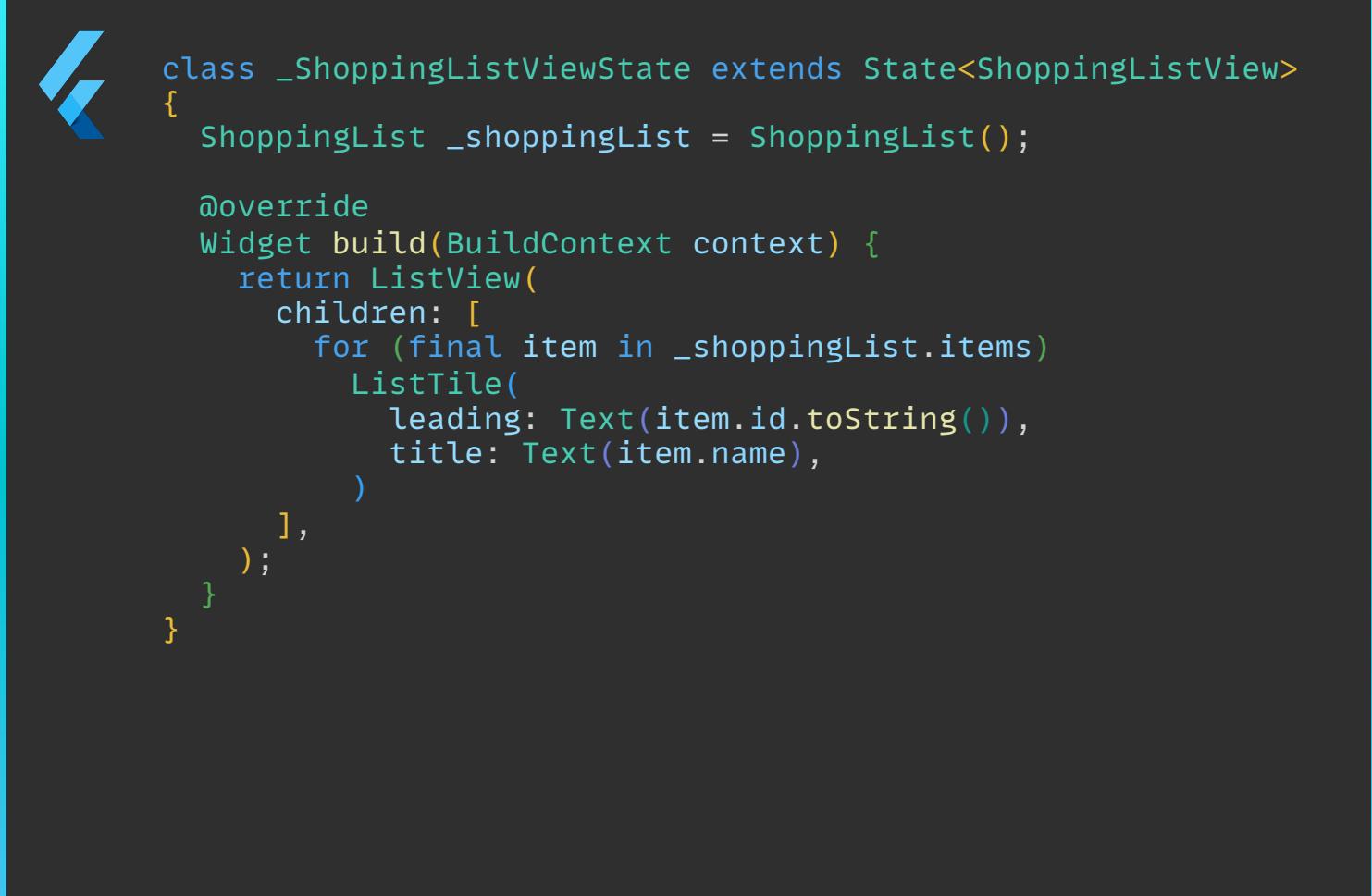


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Your shopping list

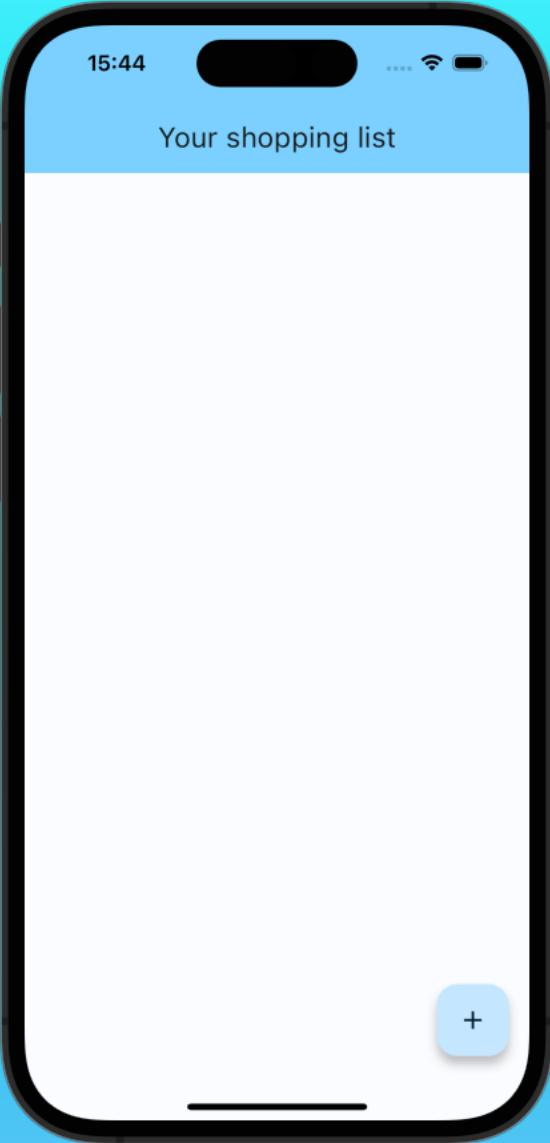
Hello World

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```
class _ShoppingListViewState extends State<ShoppingListView> {
  ShoppingList _shoppingList = ShoppingList();

  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return ListView(
      children: [
        for (final item in _shoppingList.items)
          ListTile(
            leading: Text(item.id.toString()),
            title: Text(item.name),
          )
      ],
    );
  }
}
```

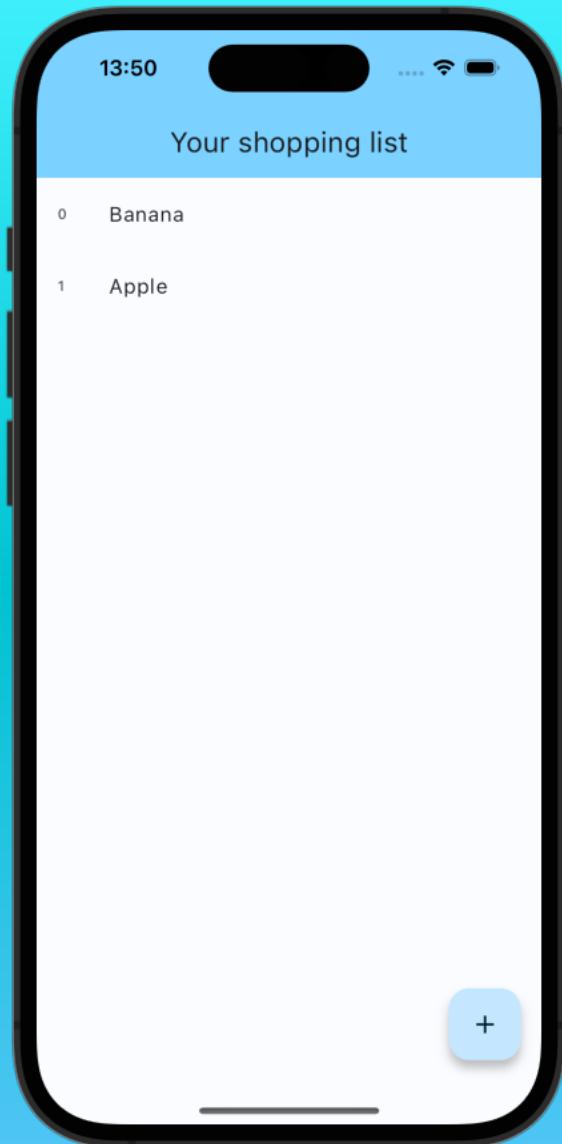
A black iPhone X is shown on the left side of the image. The screen displays a mobile application titled "Your shopping list". The interface is simple with a white background. At the top, there is a blue header bar containing the title. In the bottom right corner of the main screen area, there is a small circular button with a plus sign (+) on it.

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Your shopping list

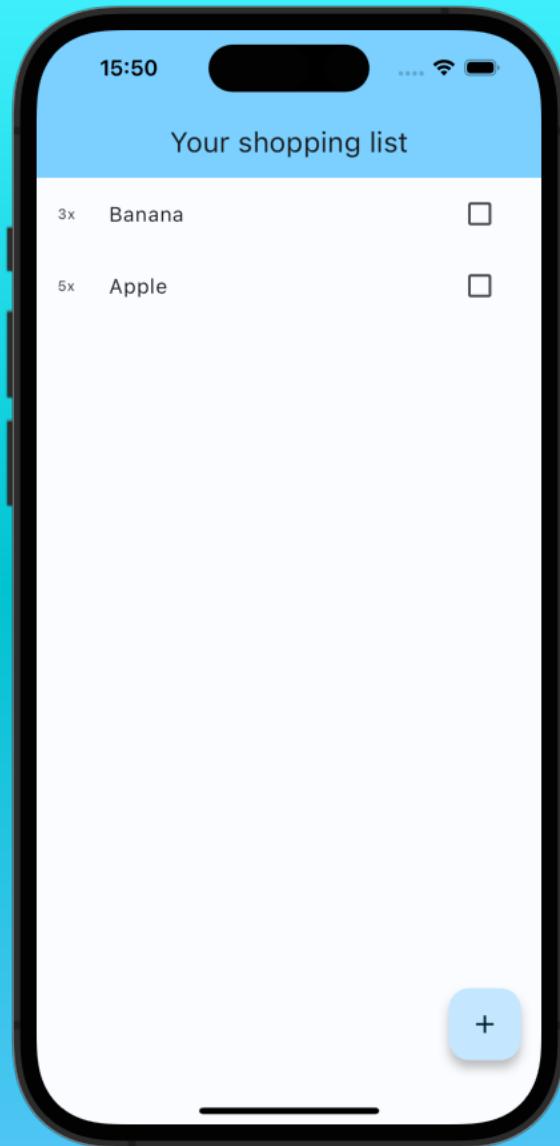


```
class MyHomePage extends StatelessWidget {  
  const MyHomePage({super.key, required this.title});  
  
  final String title;  
  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return Scaffold(  
      appBar: AppBar(  
        backgroundColor:  
          Theme.of(context).colorScheme.inversePrimary,  
        title: Text(title),  
      ),  
      body: const ShoppingListView(),  
      floatingActionButton: FloatingActionButton(  
        onPressed: () {},  
        child: const Icon(Icons.add),  
      ),  
    );  
  }  
}
```



```
class _ShoppingListViewState extends State<ShoppingListView> {
  ShoppingList _shoppingList = ShoppingList()
    ..addItem(
      name: 'Banana',
      quantity: 3,
    )
    ..addItem(
      name: 'Apple',
      quantity: 5);

  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return ListView(
      children: [
        for (final item in _shoppingList.items)
          ListTile(
            leading: Text(item.id.toString()),
            title: Text(item.name),
          )
      ],
    );
}
```



```
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return ListView(  
      children: [  
        for (final item in _shoppingList.items)  
          ListTile(  
            leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),  
            title: Text(item.name),  
            trailing: Checkbox(  
              value: false,  
              onChanged: (value) {},  
            ),  
          ),  
      ],  
    );  
  }
```

# CheckBox



“A Material Design checkbox.“

# CheckBox



- **value:** “Whether this checkbox is checked.”
- **onChanged:** “Called when the value of the checkbox should change.”
- **see all properties [here](#)**

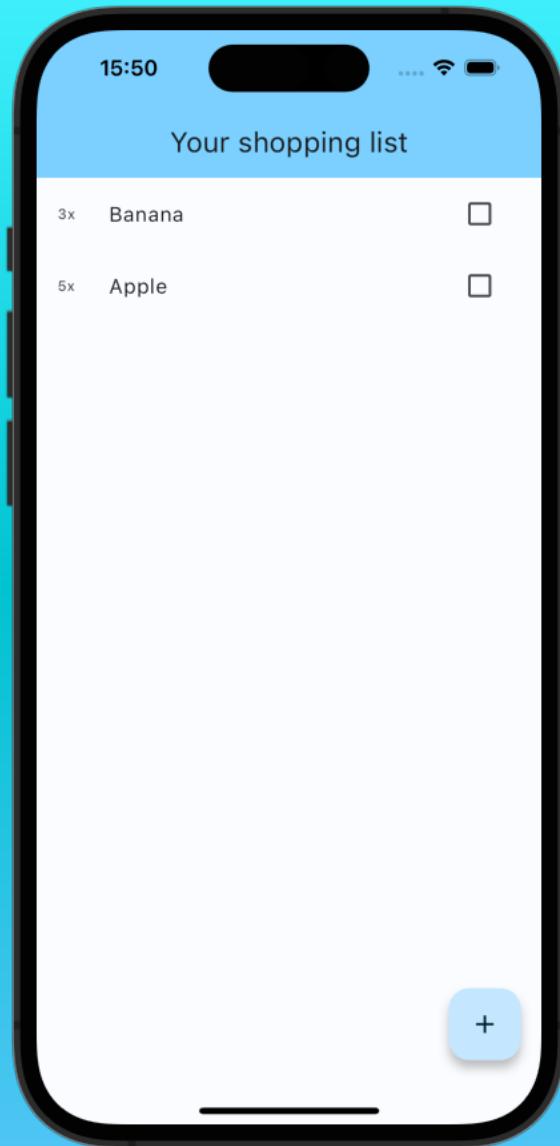
Checkbox 1

Checkbox 2

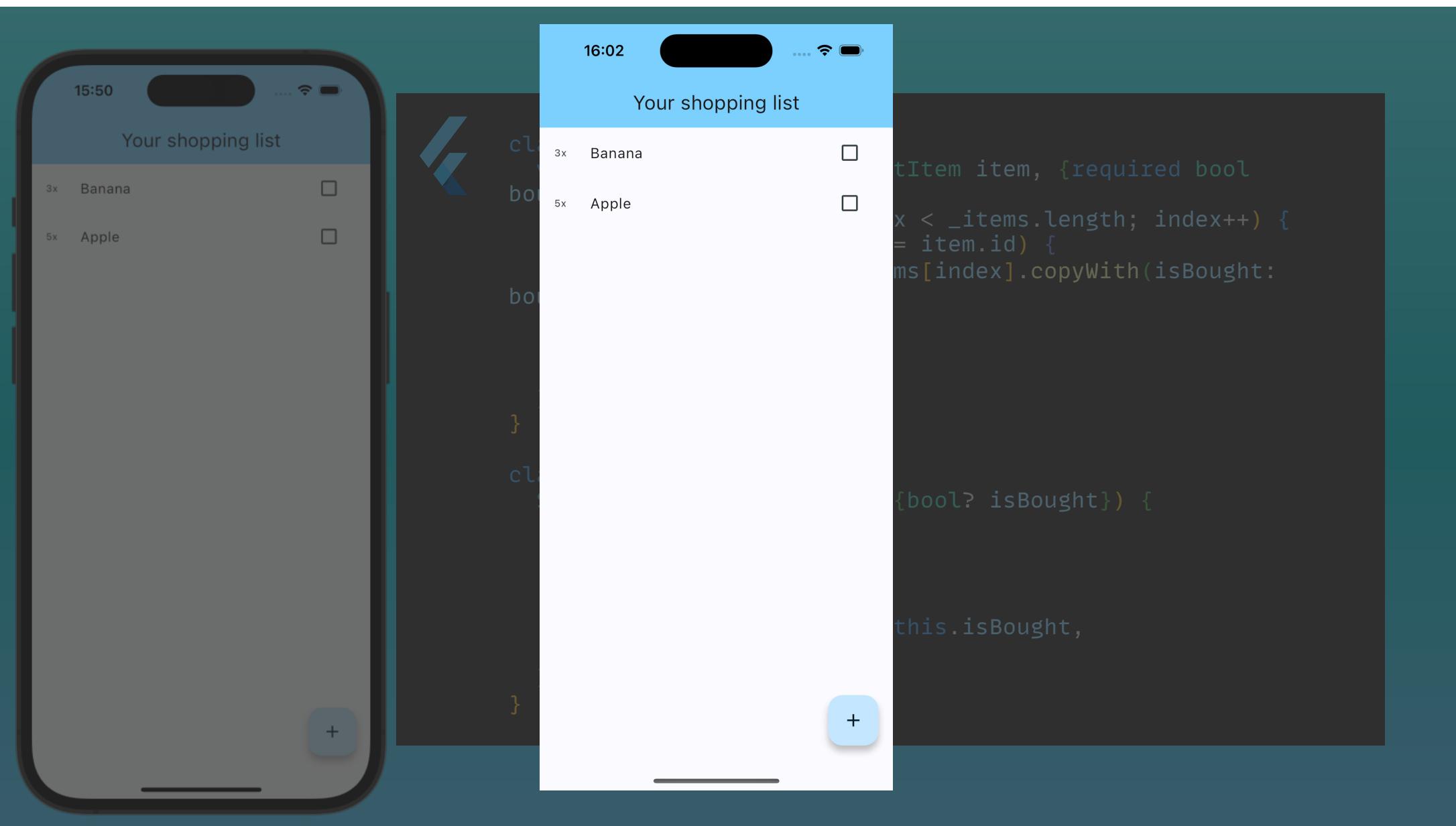
Checkbox 3

Checkbox 4

Checkbox 5

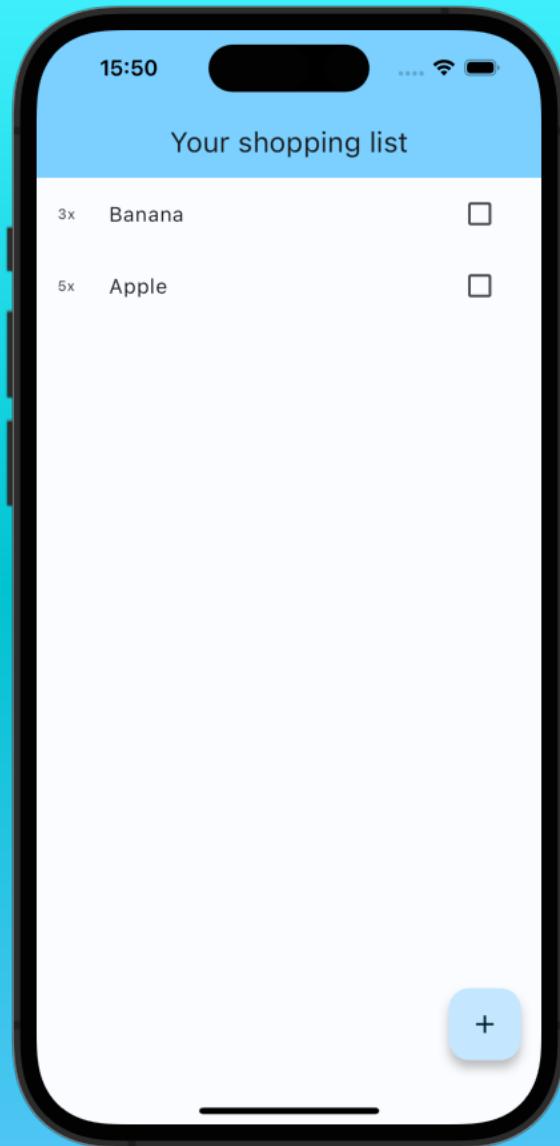


```
Flutter logo
@override
Widget build(BuildContext context) {
  return ListView(
    children: [
      for (final item in _shoppingList.items)
        ListTile(
          leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),
          title: Text(item.name),
          trailing: Checkbox(
            value: item.isBought,
            onChanged: (value) {
              item.isBought = value!;
            },
          ),
        ),
    ],
}
```



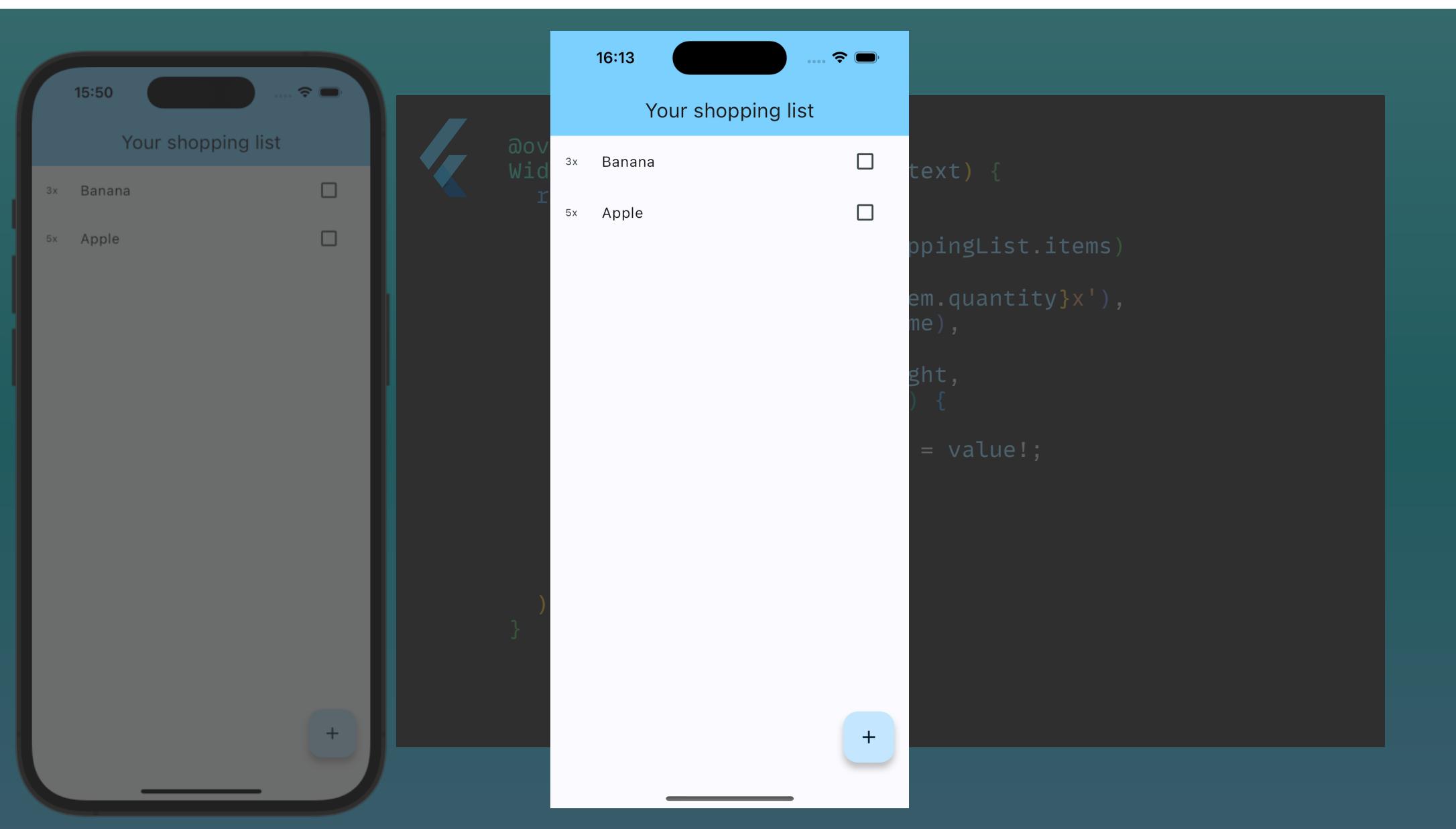
# Simple State Management

Shopping List App



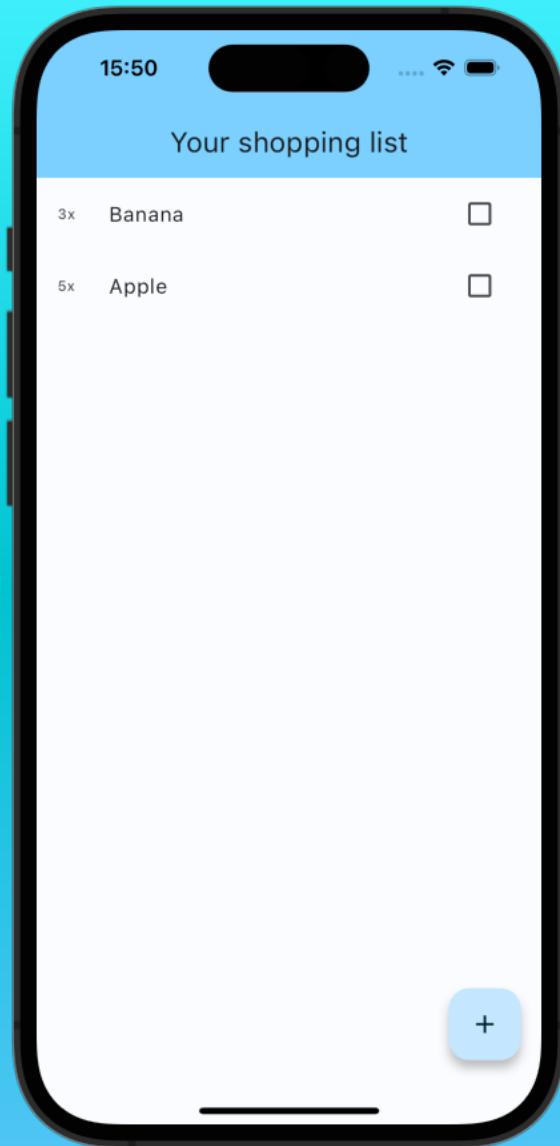
```
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Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  return ListView(  
    children: [  
      for (final item in _shoppingList.items)  
        ListTile(  
          leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),  
          title: Text(item.name),  
          trailing: Checkbox(  
            value: item.isBought,  
            onChanged: (value) {  
              setState(() {  
                item.isBought = value!;  
              });  
            },  
          ),  
        ),  
    ],  
  );  
}
```

👉 setState rerenders the whole widget sub tree



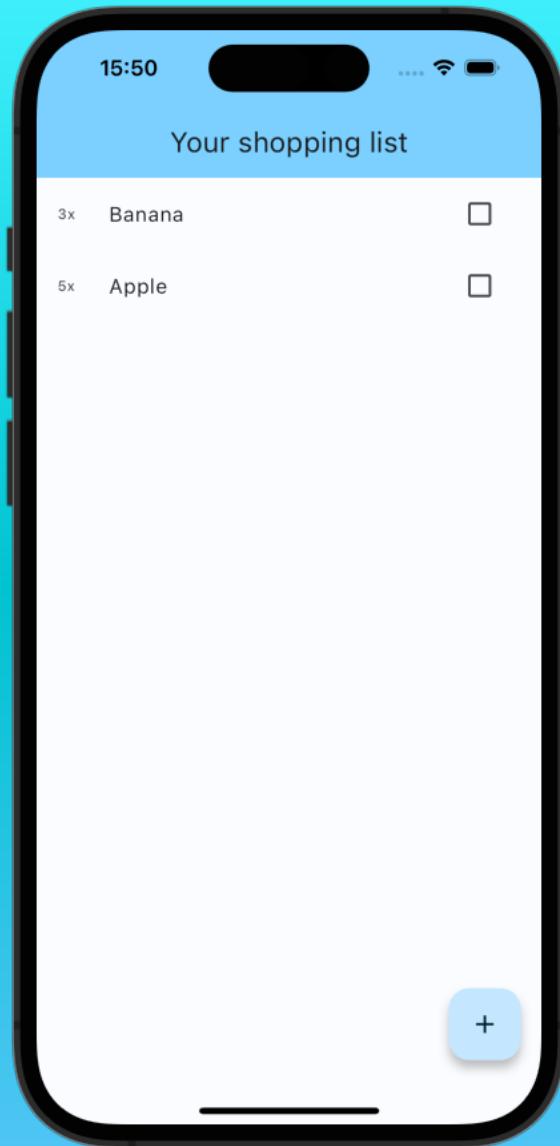
# Toggling the Checkbox with ListTile click

ShoppingListApp



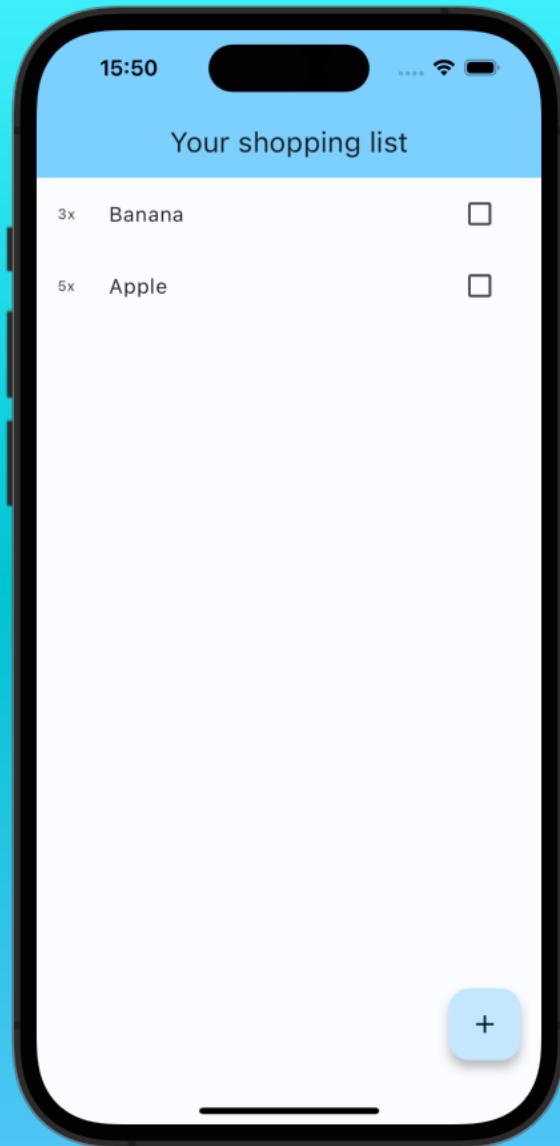
```
 ListTile(  
    onTap: () {  
        setState(() {  
            item.isBought = !item.isBought;  
        });  
    },  
    leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),  
    title: Text(item.name),  
    trailing: Checkbox(  
        value: item.isBought,  
        onChanged: (value) {  
            setState(() {  
                item.isBought = value!;  
            });  
        },  
    ),  
)
```

Duplicated code



```
void _toggleBought(ShoppingListIteм item) {  
    setState(() {  
        item.isBought = !item.isBought;  
    });  
}
```

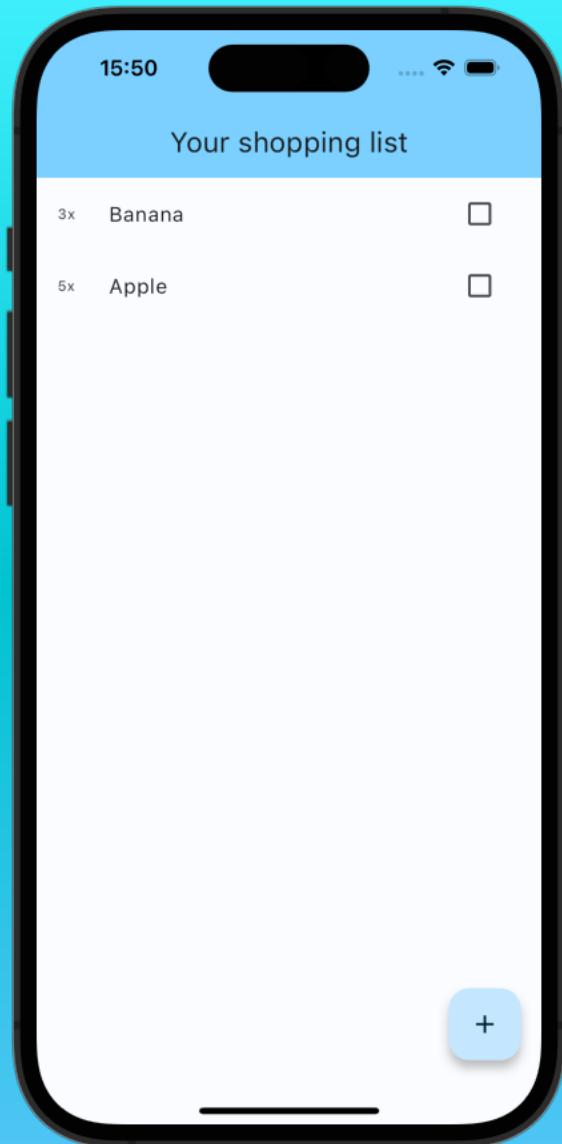
A dark grey rectangular area contains a snippet of Kotlin code. The code defines a function named "\_toggleBought" that takes a parameter of type "ShoppingListIteм". Inside the function, it calls "setState" with a lambda expression. The lambda expression toggles the value of "item.isBought". The code ends with a closing brace for the function. To the left of the code, the blue Flutter logo is displayed.



```
 ListTile(  
    onTap: () {  
        _toggleBought(item);  
    },  
    leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),  
    title: Text(item.name),  
    trailing: Checkbox(  
        value: item.isBought,  
        onChanged: (_) {  
            _toggleBought(item);  
        },  
    ),  
)
```

# Current Issues

Shopping List App



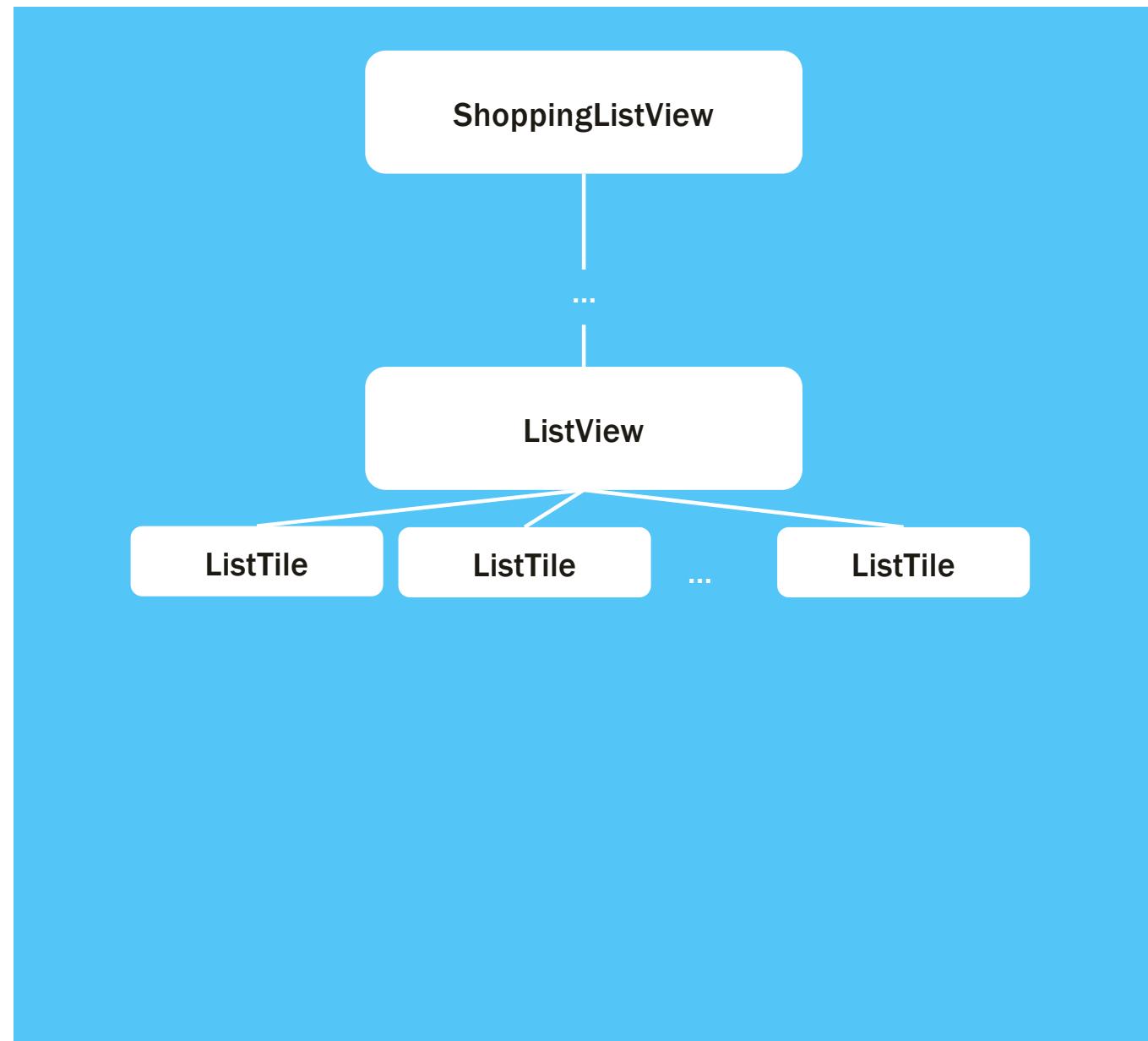
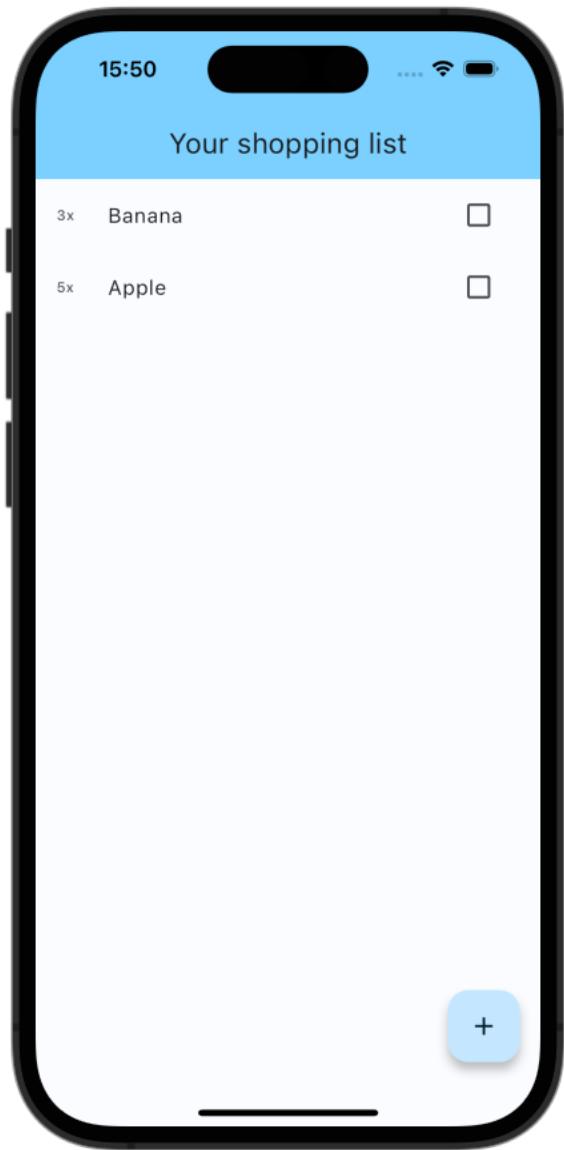
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 @override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  return ListView(  
    children: [  
      for (final item in _shoppingList.items)  
        ListTile(  
          onTap: () {  
            _toggleBought(item);  
          },  
          leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),  
          title: Text(item.name),  
          trailing: Checkbox(  
            value: item.isBought,  
            onChanged: (_) {  
              _toggleBought(item);  
            },  
          ),  
        ),  
    ],  
  );  
}
```

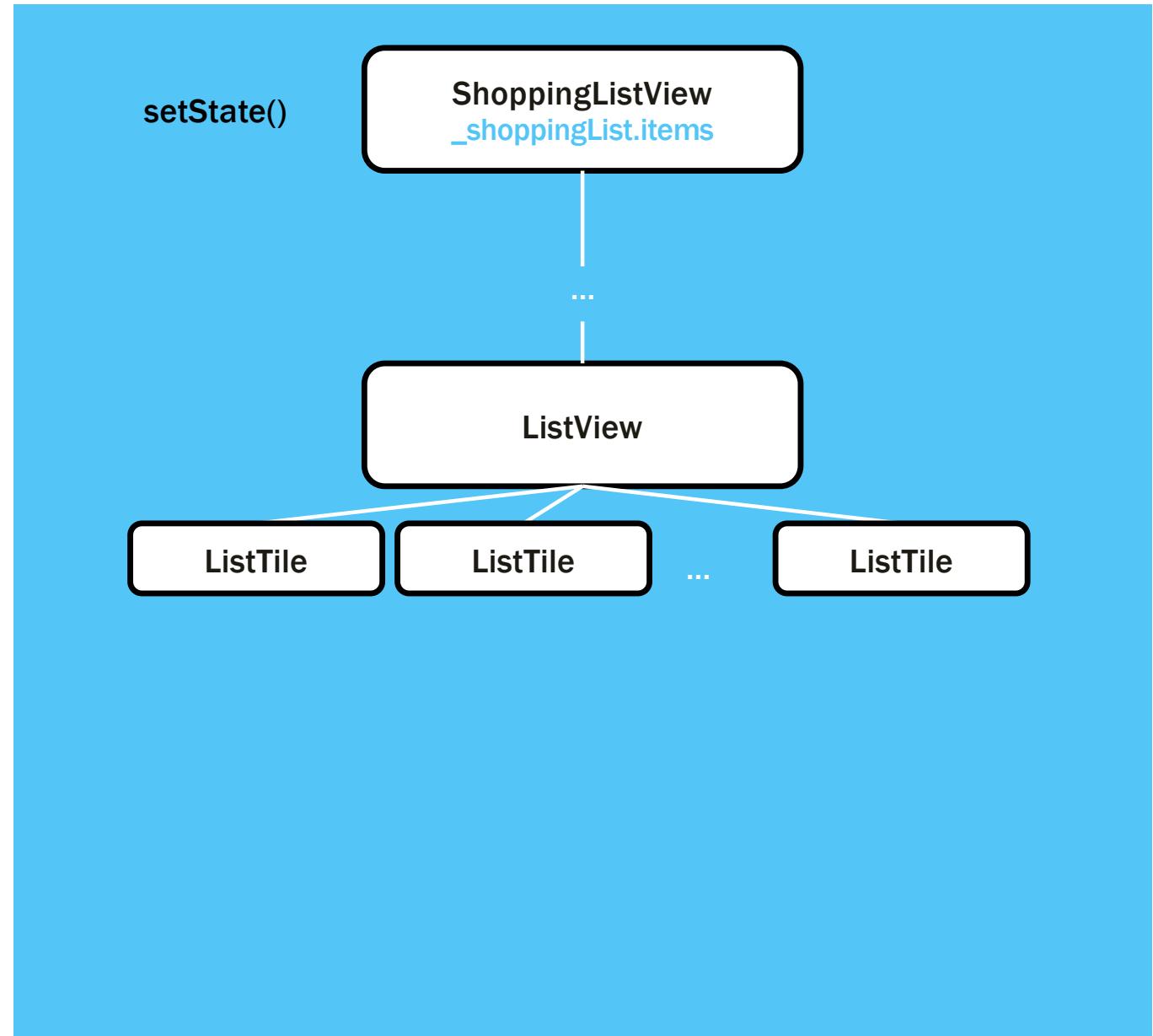
👉 renders all items at once

👉 rerenders the whole widget sub tree

# Why does setState rerender every ListTile?

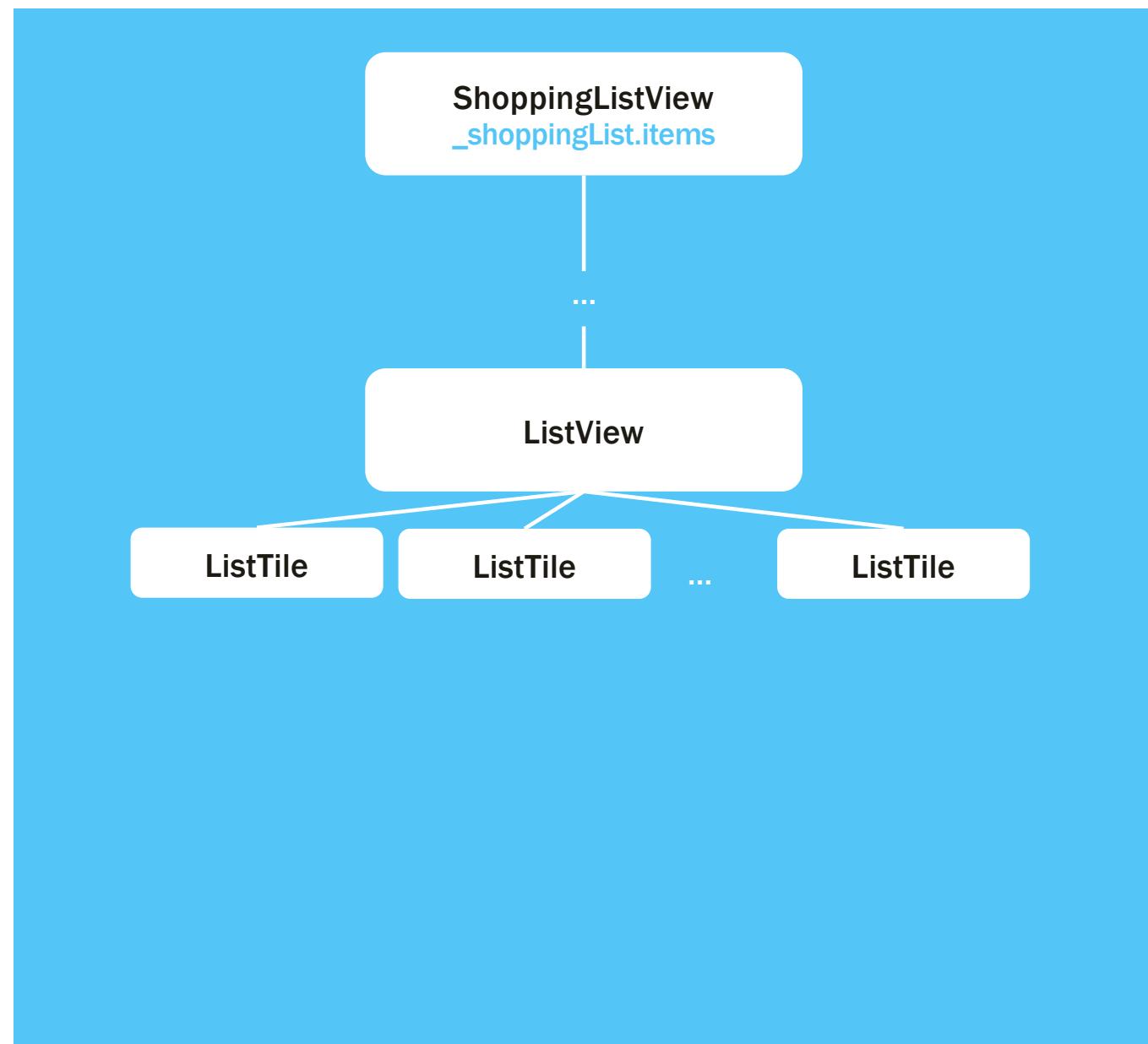
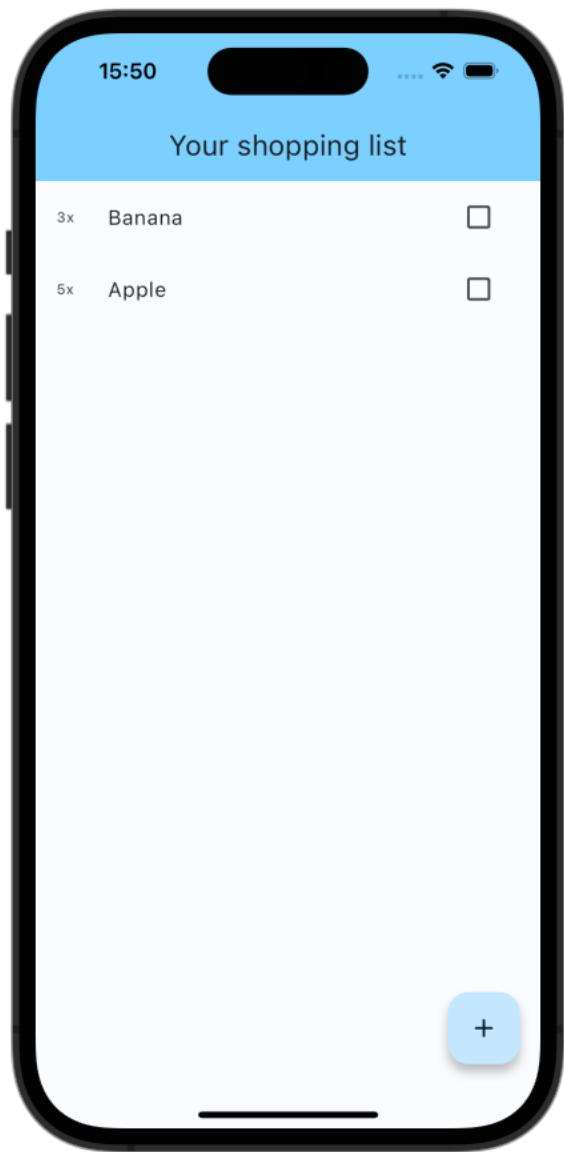
Shopping List App

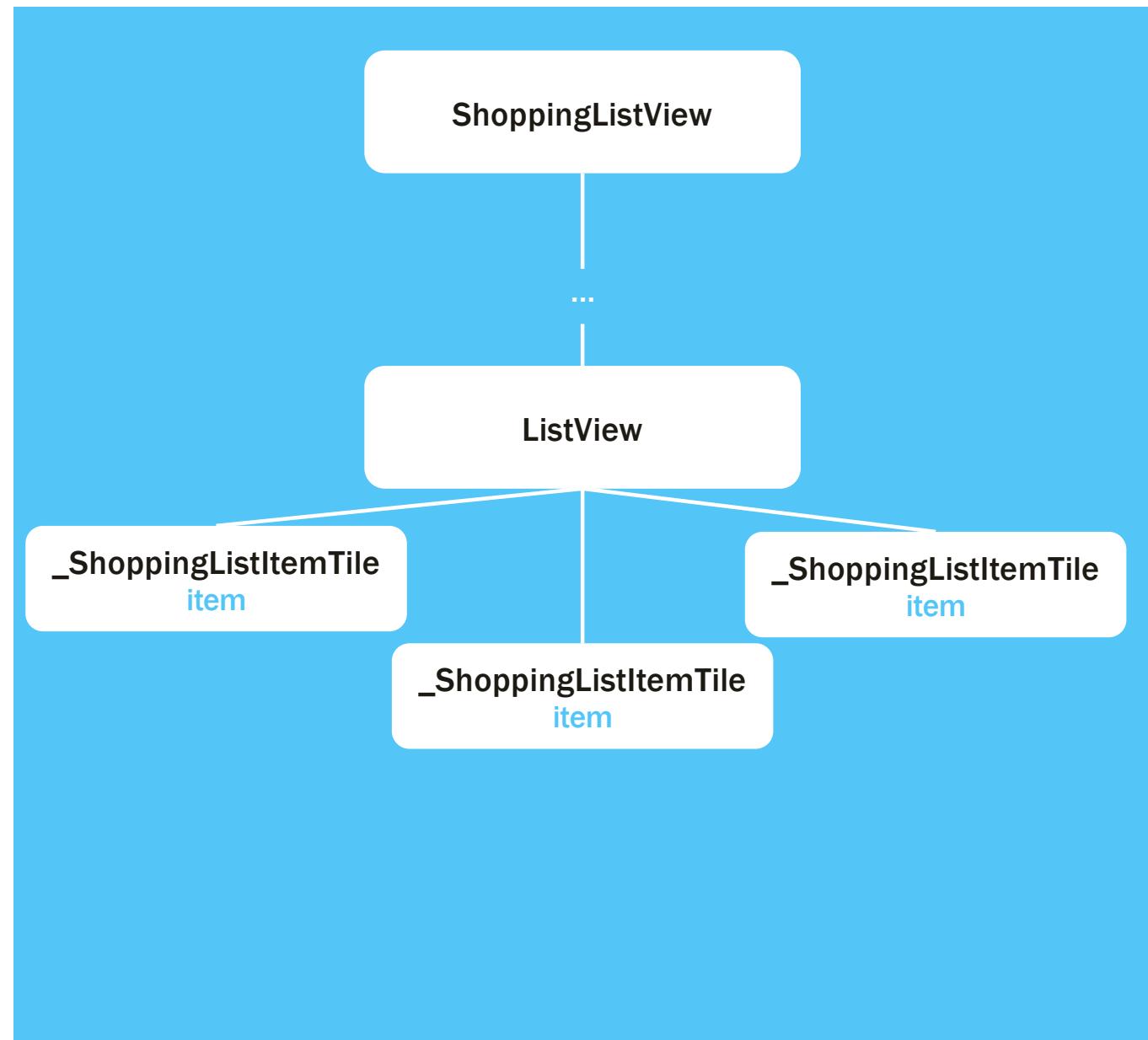


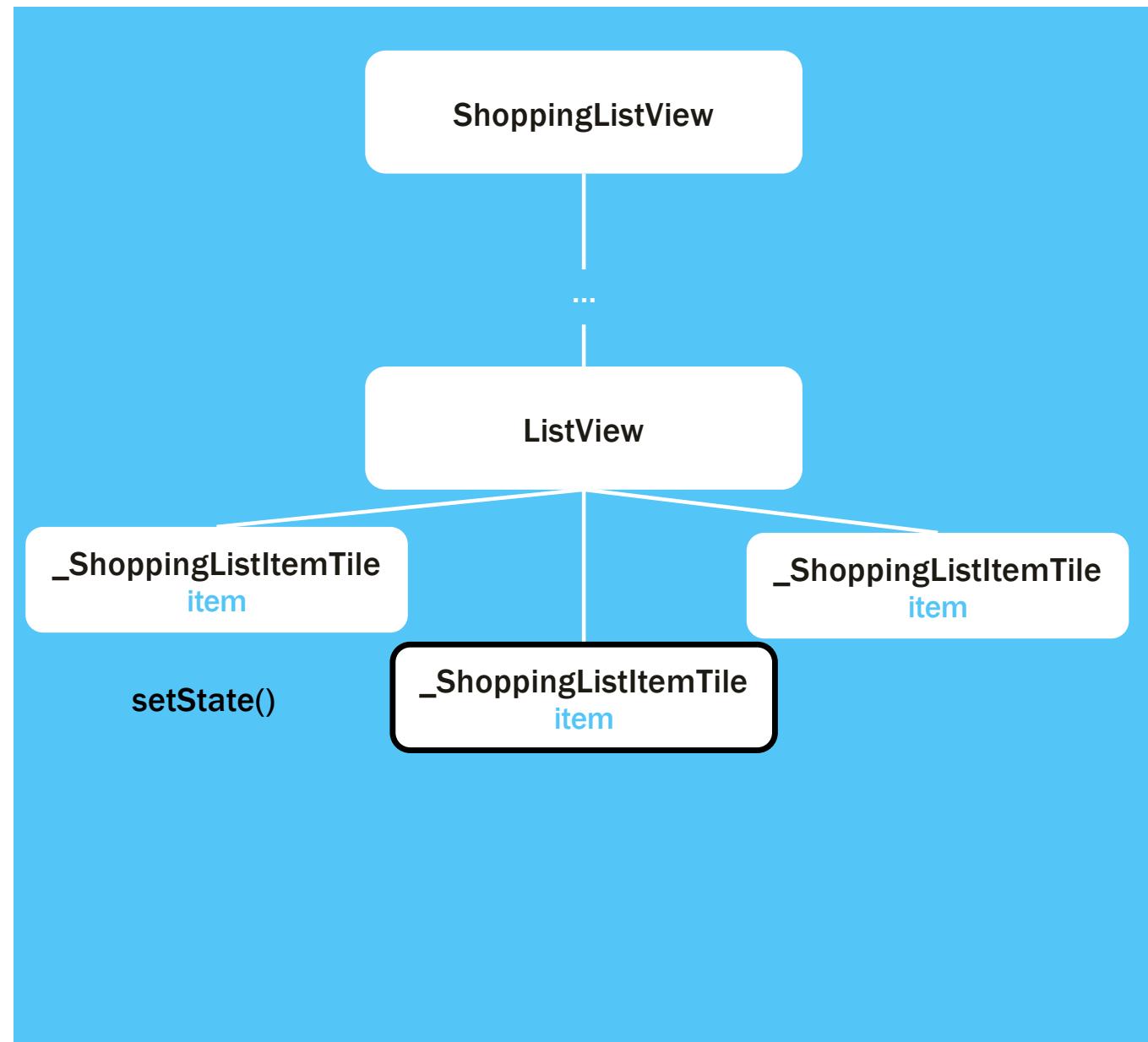
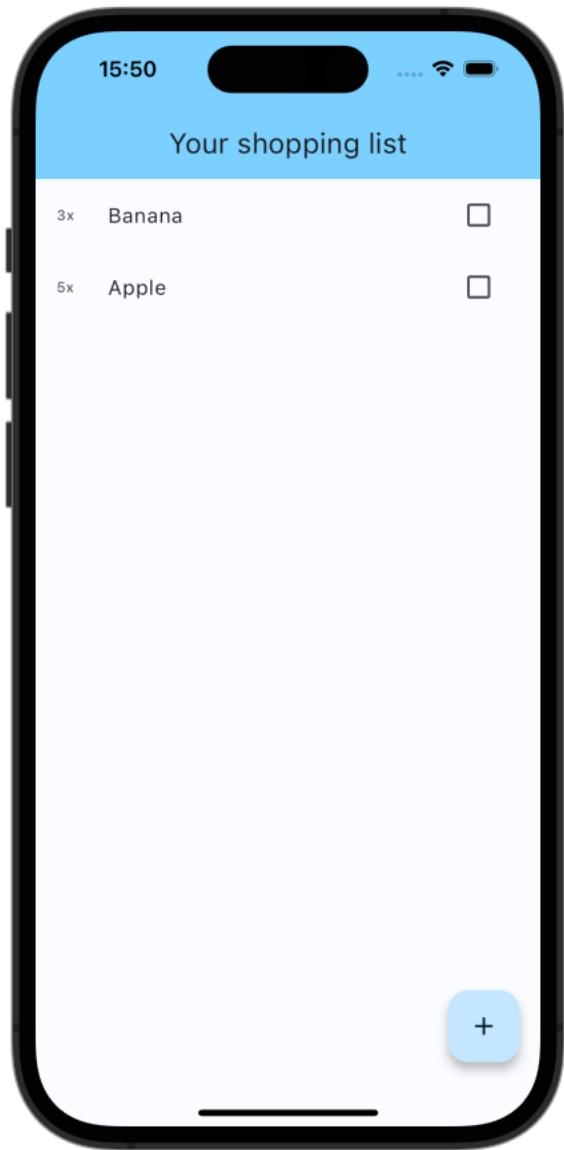


# Lowering state

Shopping List App

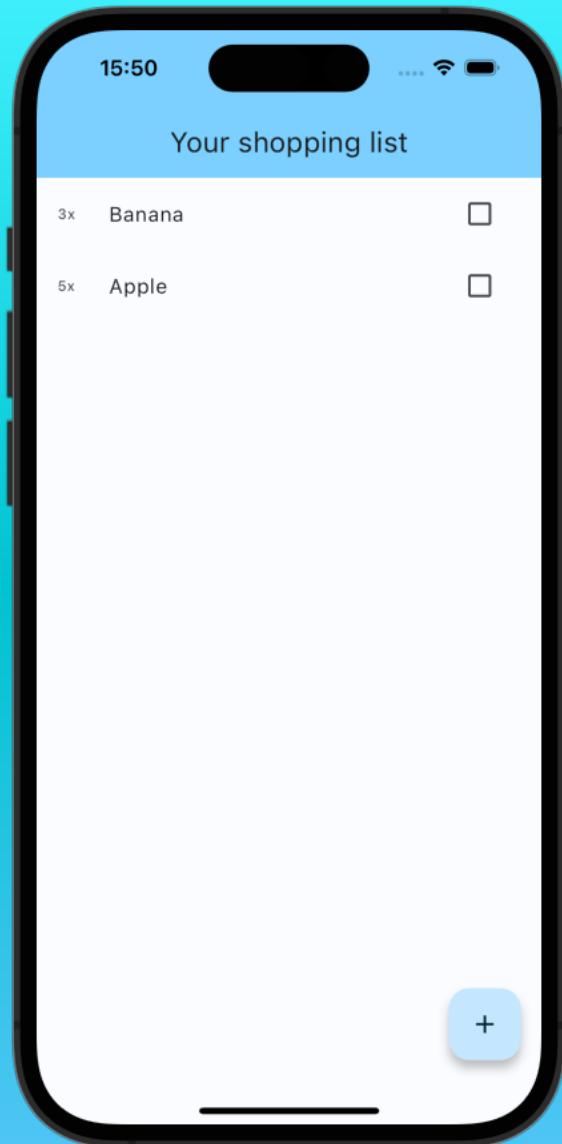






# Implementation

Shopping List App

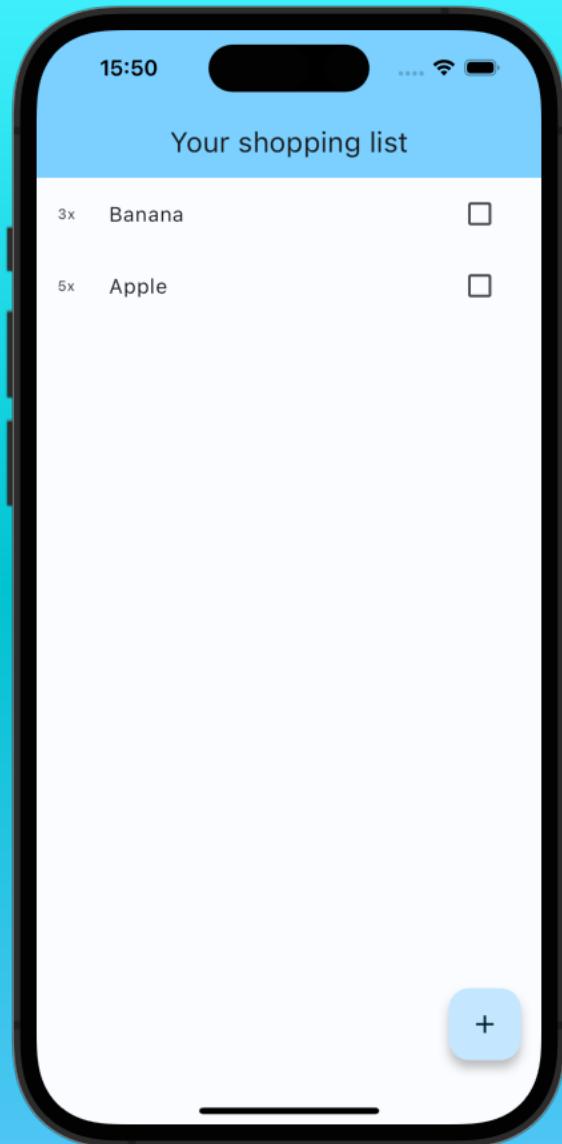


```
class _ShoppingListTile extends StatefulWidget {
  const _ShoppingListTile({
    required this.item,
    super.key,
  });

  final ShoppingListItem item;

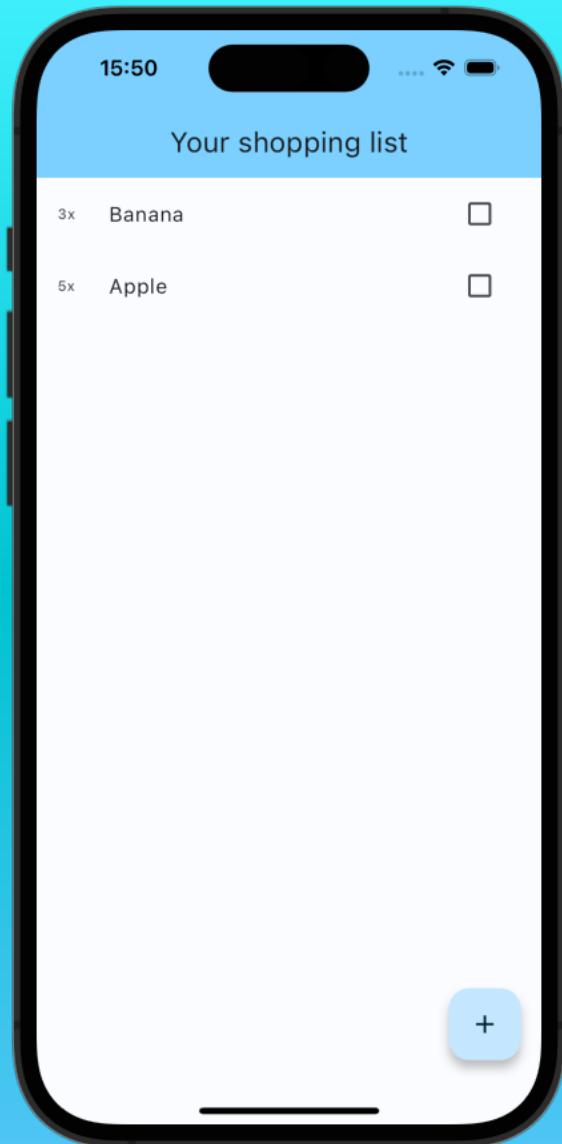
  @override
  State<_ShoppingListTile> createState() =>
  _ShoppingListTileState();
}

class _ShoppingListTileState extends State<_ShoppingListTile> {
  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return const Placeholder();
}
```

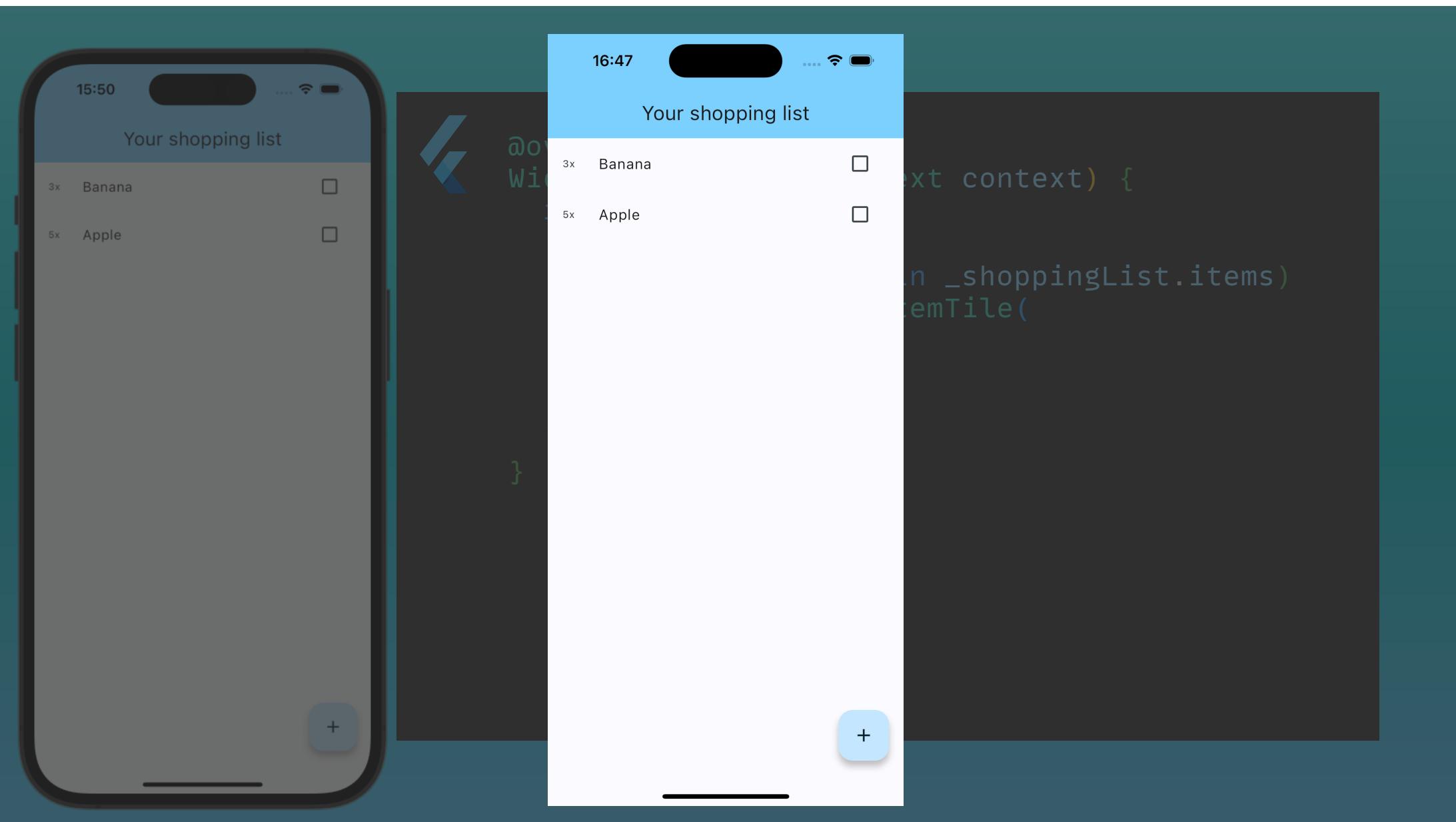


```
Flutter logo
ShoppingListItem get item => widget.item;
void _toggleBought() {
    setState(() {
        item.isBought = !item.isBought;
    });
}

@Override
Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return ListTile(
        onTap: _toggleBought,
        leading: Text('${item.quantity}x'),
        title: Text(item.name),
        trailing: Checkbox(
            value: item.isBought,
            onChanged: (_)
            {
                _toggleBought();
            },
        ),
    );
}
```

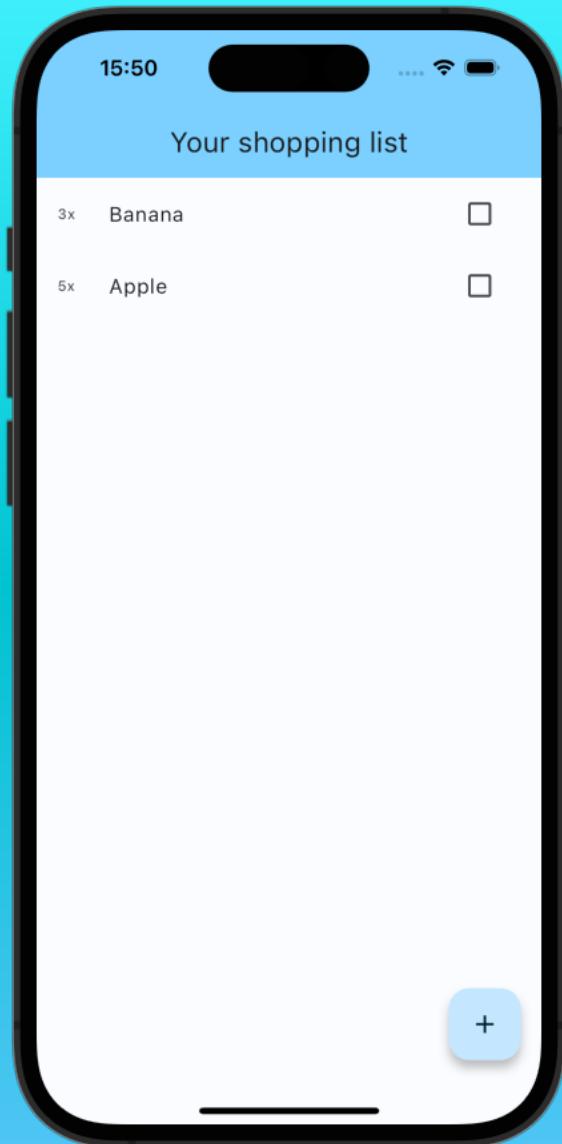


```
Flutter logo  
@override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  return ListView(  
    children: [  
      for (final item in _shoppingList.items)  
        _ShoppingListItemTile(  
          item: item,  
        ),  
    ],  
  );  
}
```



# Lazy Rendering with ListView.builder

Shopping List App



```
 @override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  return ListView(  
    children: [  
      for (final item in _shoppingList.items)  
        _ShoppingListItemTile(  
          item: item,  
        ),  
    ],  
  );  
}  
  
👉 renders all ListTiles before rendering  
the ListView
```

# ListView.builder



**"Creates a scrollable, linear array of widgets that are created on demand."**

# ListView.builder



- **itemCount:** Amount of widgets to render.
- **itemBuilder:** Callback that defines the rendered widget.
- see all properties [here](#)

# Further ListViews



- **`ListView.separated`**: “Creates a fixed-length scrollable linear array of list “items” separated by list item “separators”.”

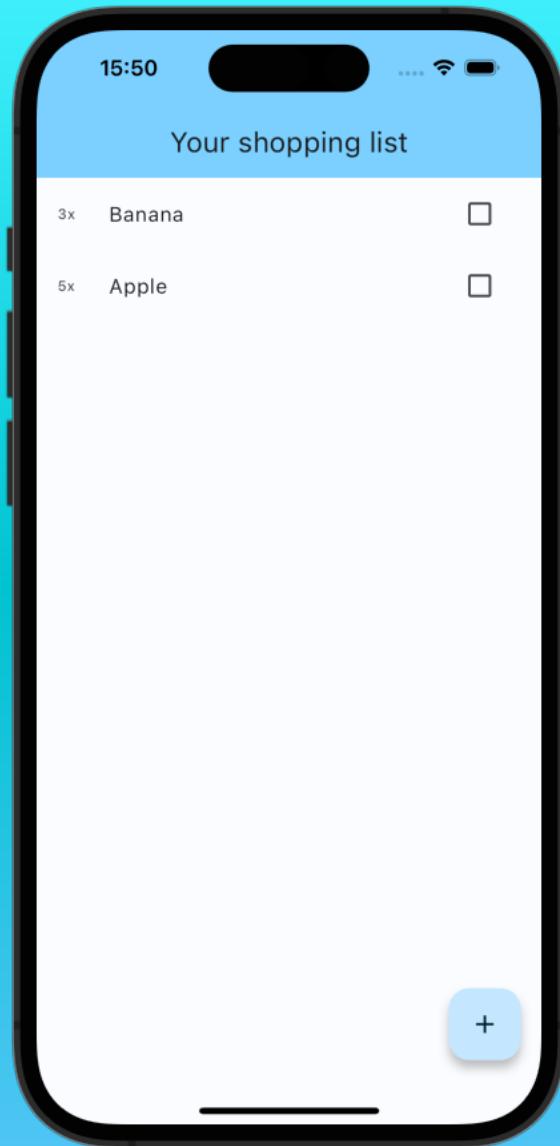
# Further ListViews



- **`ListView.separated`**: “Creates a fixed-length scrollable linear array of list “items” separated by list item “separators”.”
- **`ListView.custom`**: “Creates a scrollable, linear array of widgets with a custom child model.”

# Using ListView.builder

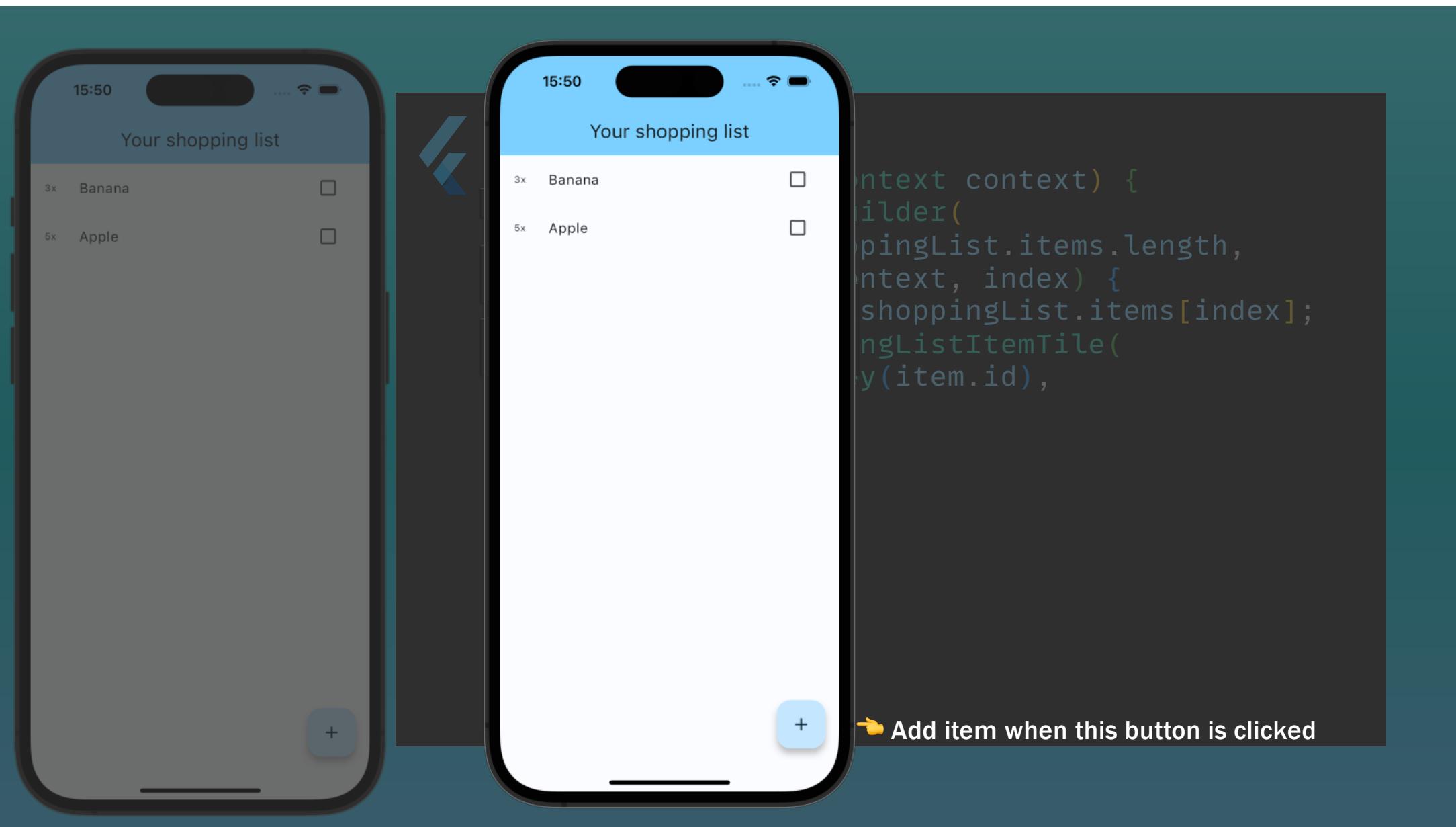
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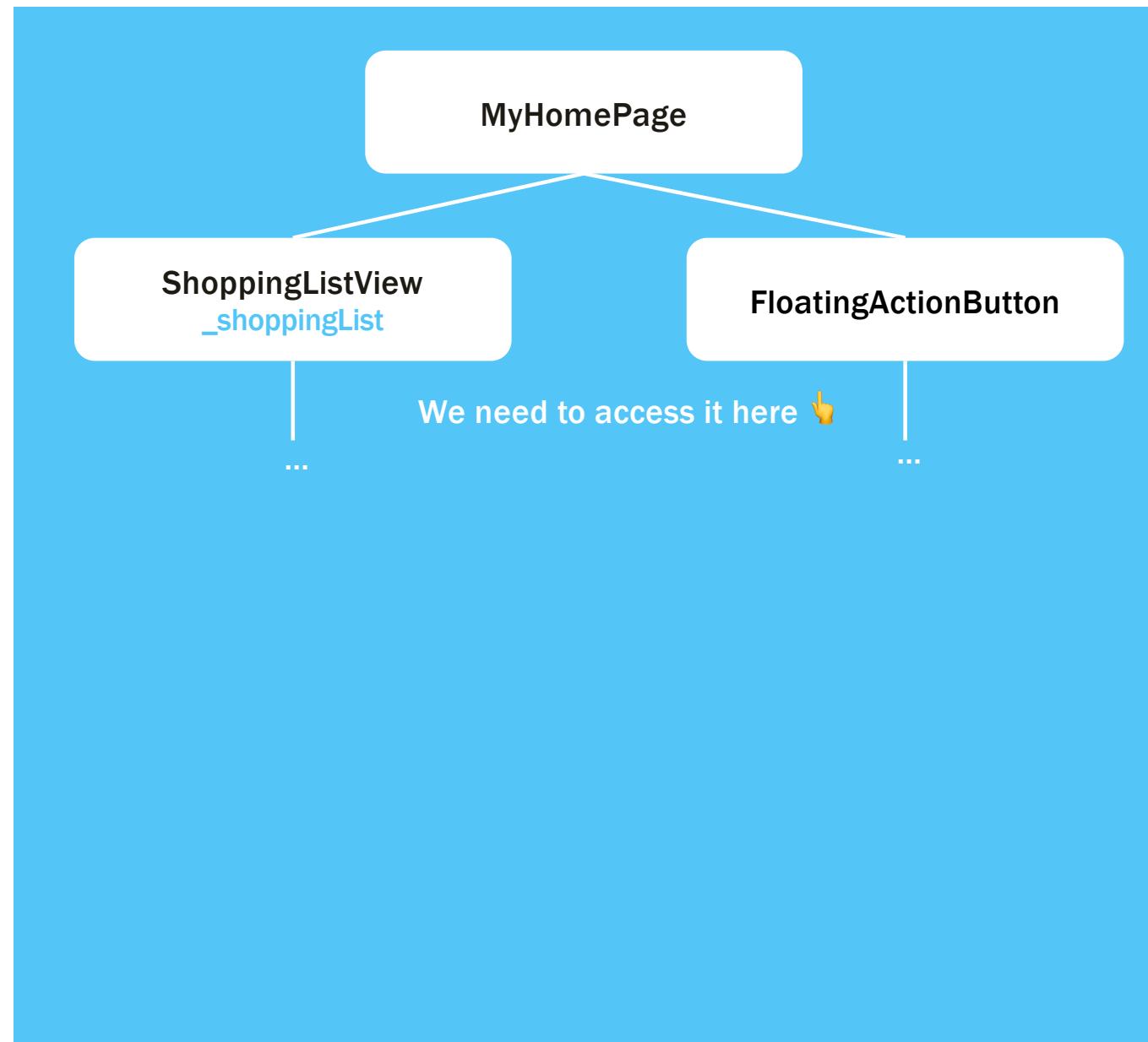


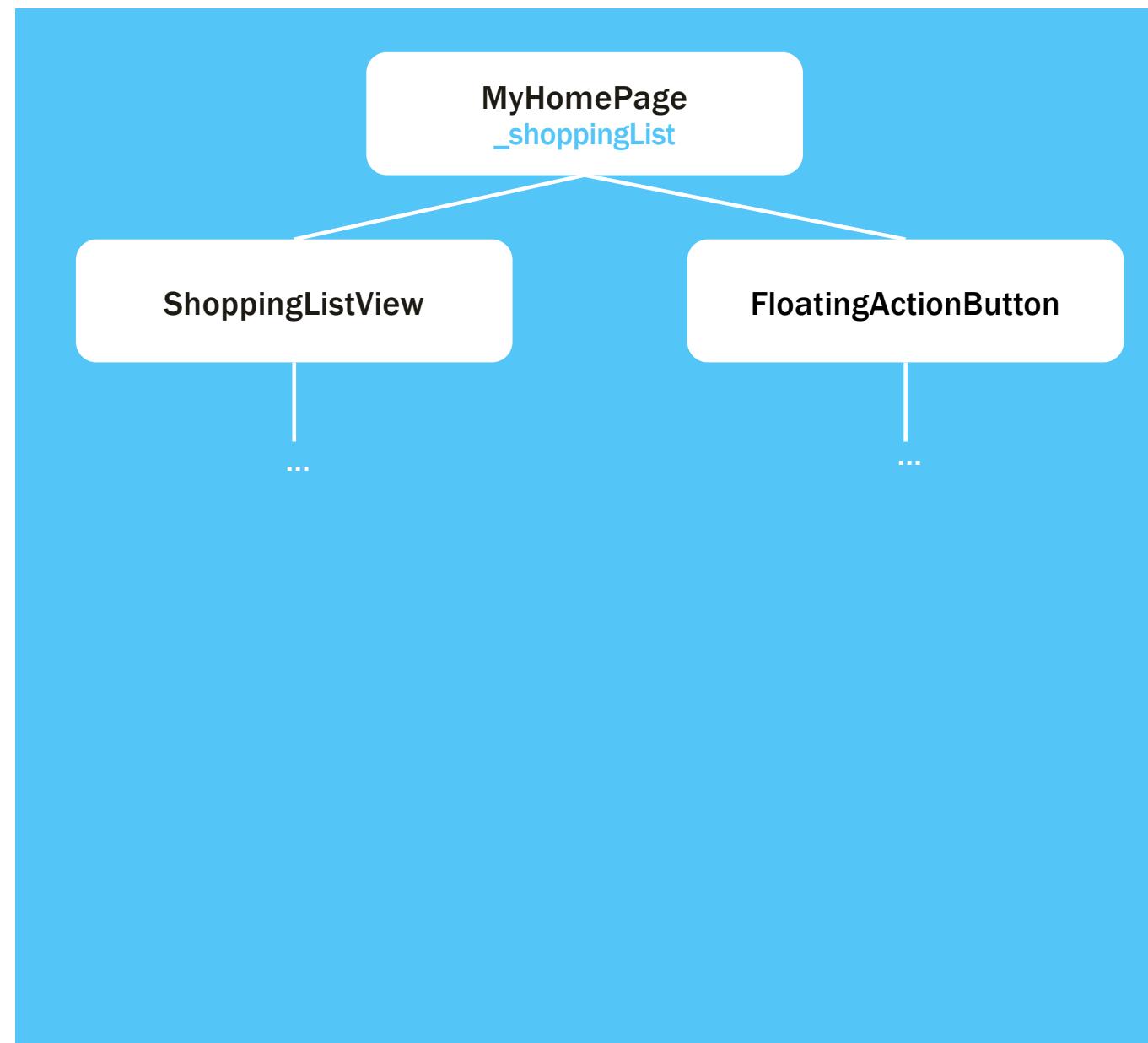
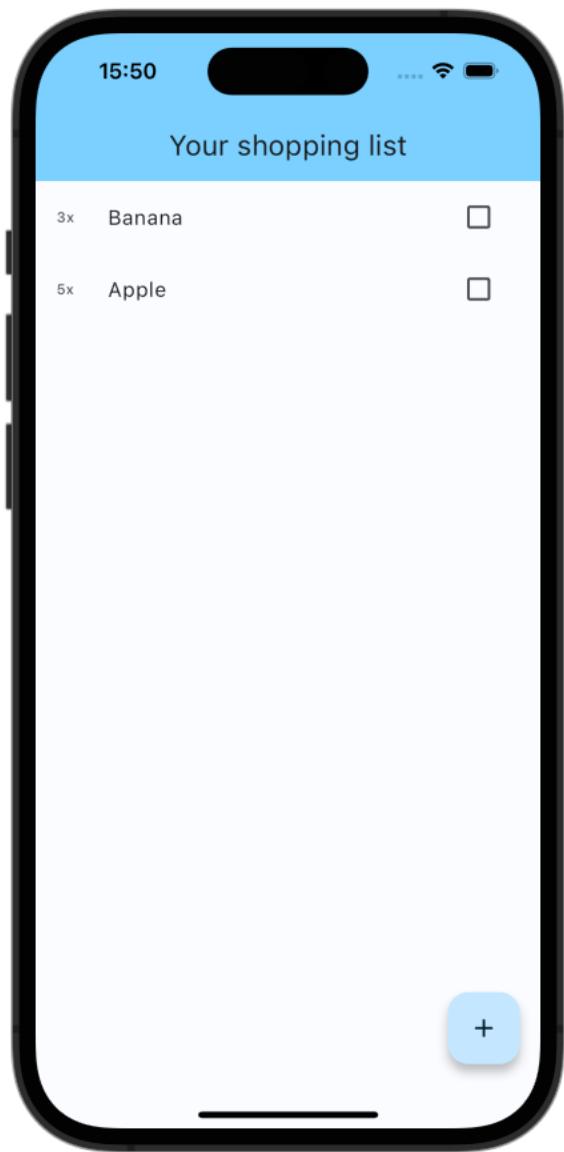
```
 @override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  return ListView.builder(  
    itemCount: _shoppingList.items.length,  
    itemBuilder: (context, index) {  
      final item = _shoppingList.items[index];  
      return _ShoppingListItemTile(  
        key: ValueKey(item.id),  
        item: item,  use key to uniquely identify the widget  
      );  
    },  
  );  
}
```

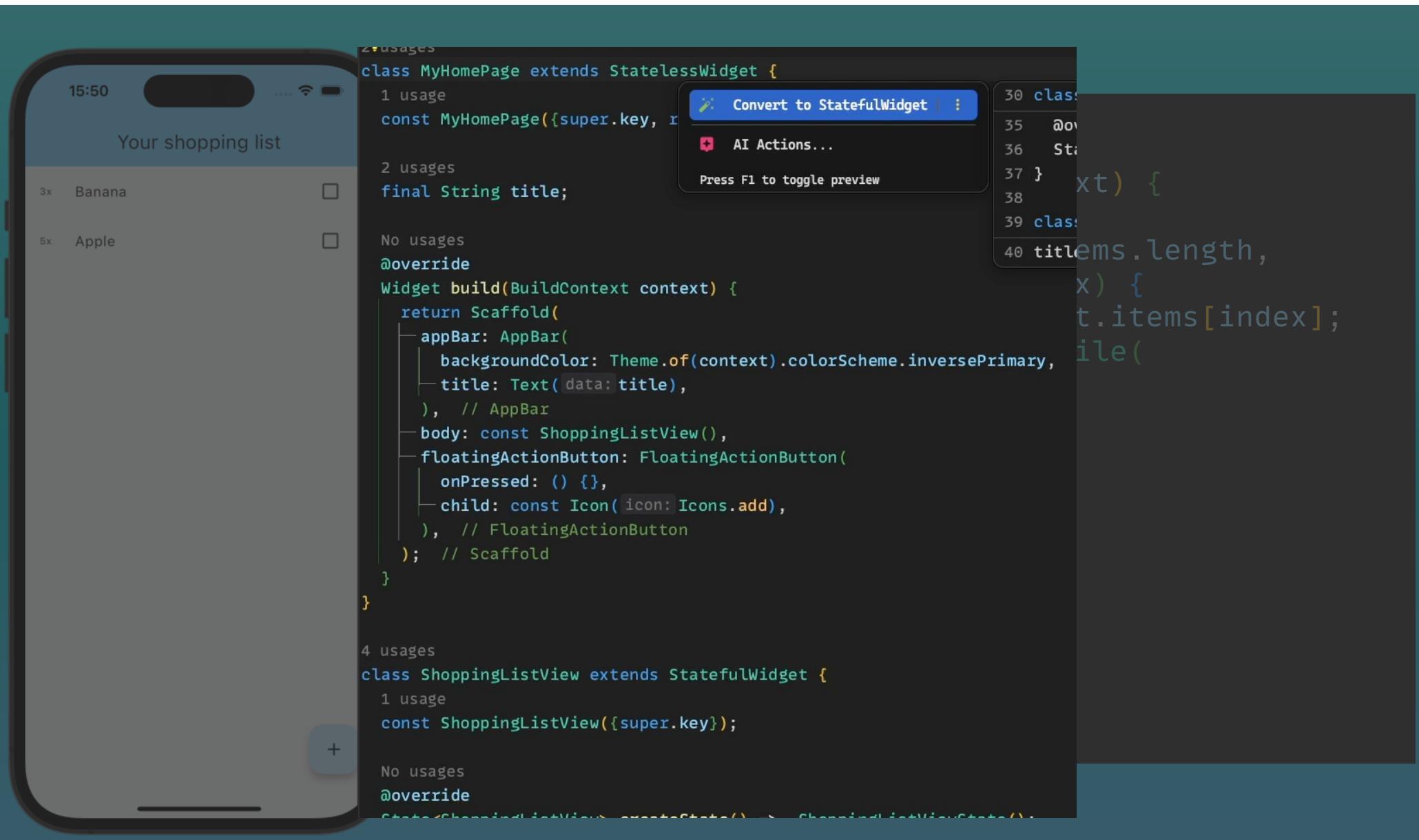
# Adding Items

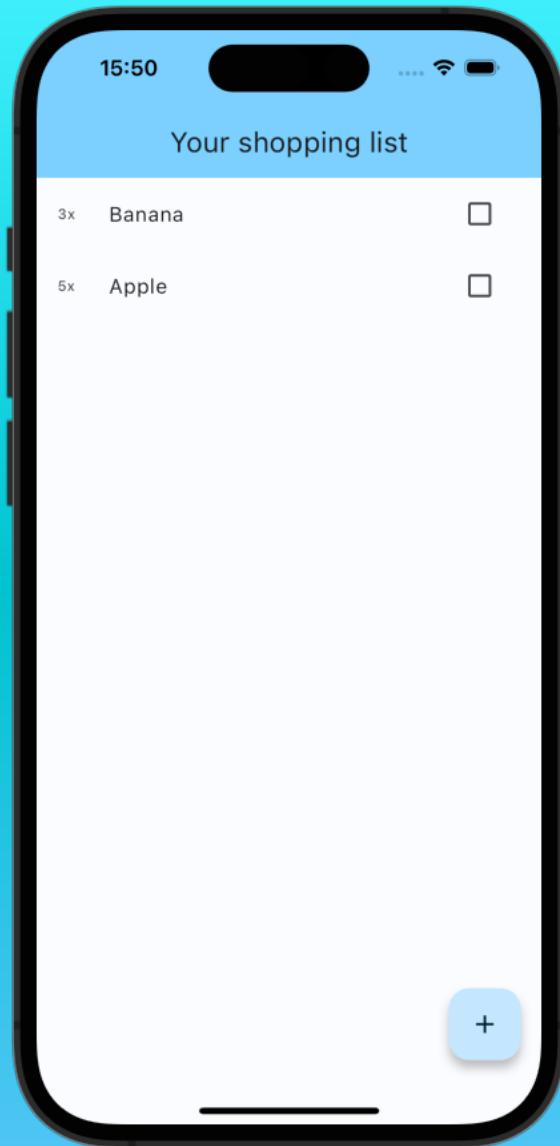
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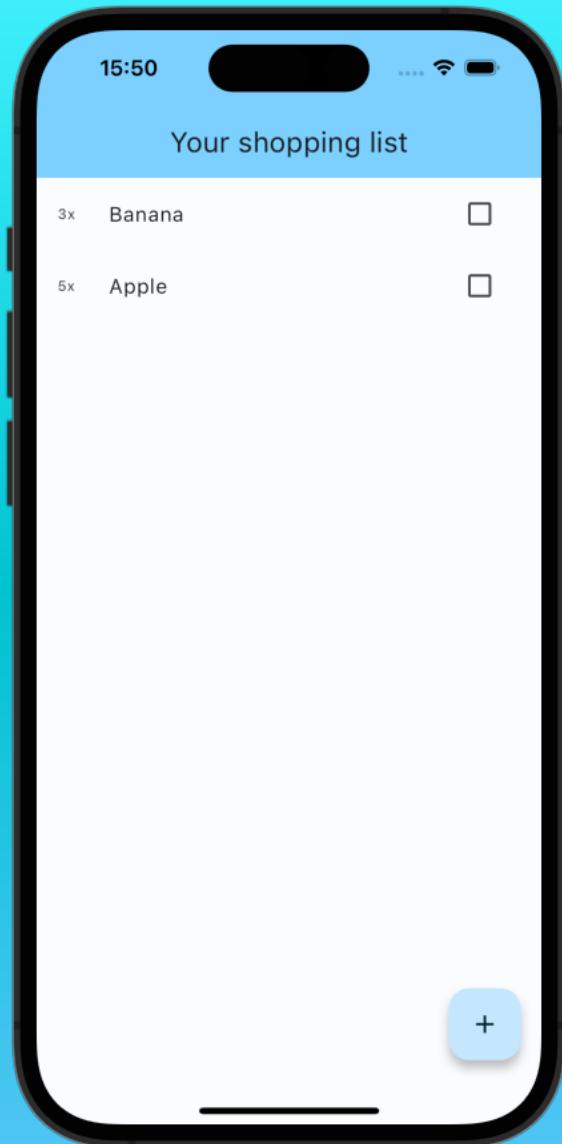








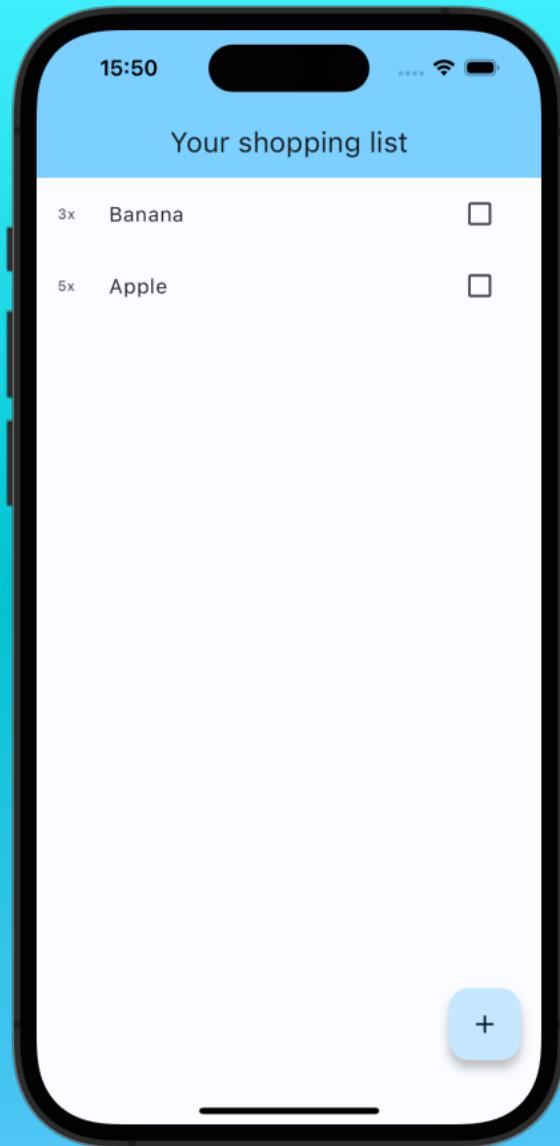
```
class _MyHomePageState extends State<MyHomePage>
{
  ShoppingList _shoppingList = ShoppingList()
    ..addItem(
      name: 'Banana',
      quantity: 3,
    )
    ..addItem(
      name: 'Apple',
      quantity: 5,
    );
  ...
}
```



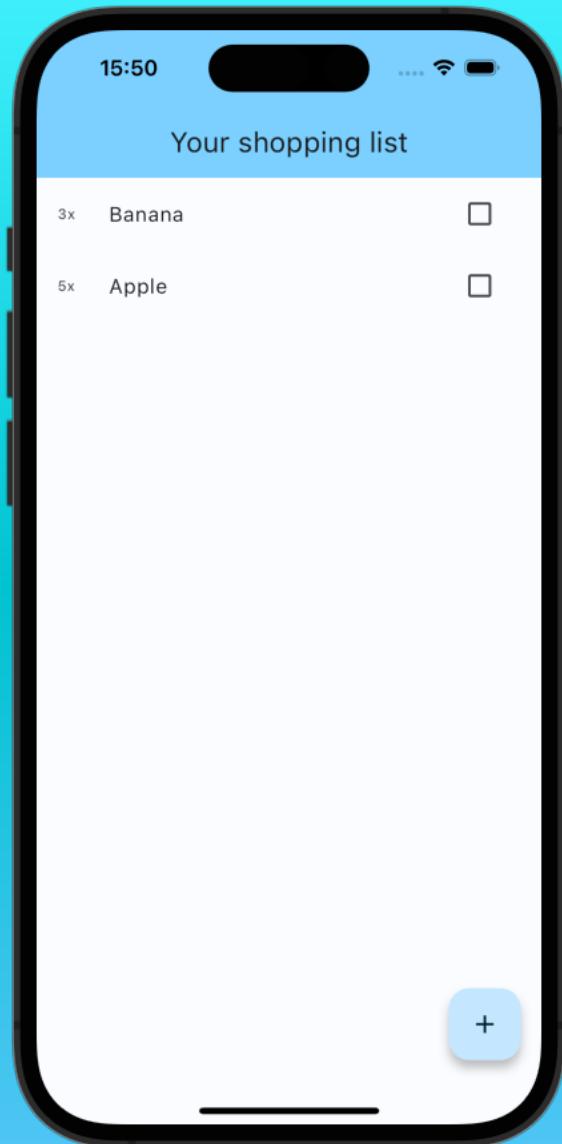
```
class ShoppingListView extends StatefulWidget {
  const ShoppingListView({super.key});

  @override
  State<ShoppingListView> createState() =>
  _ShoppingListViewState();
}

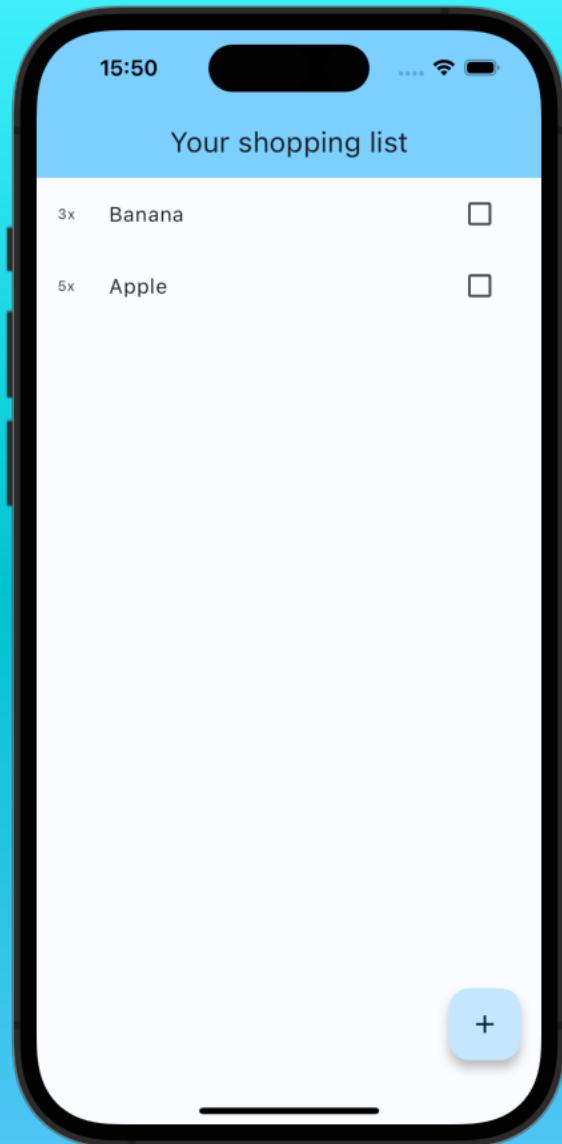
class _ShoppingListViewState extends State<ShoppingListView> {
  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return ListView.builder(
      itemCount: _shoppingList.items.length,
      itemBuilder: (context, index) {
        final item = _shoppingList.items[index];
        return _ShoppingListItemTile(
          key: ValueKey(item.id),
          item: item,
        );
      },
    );
}
```



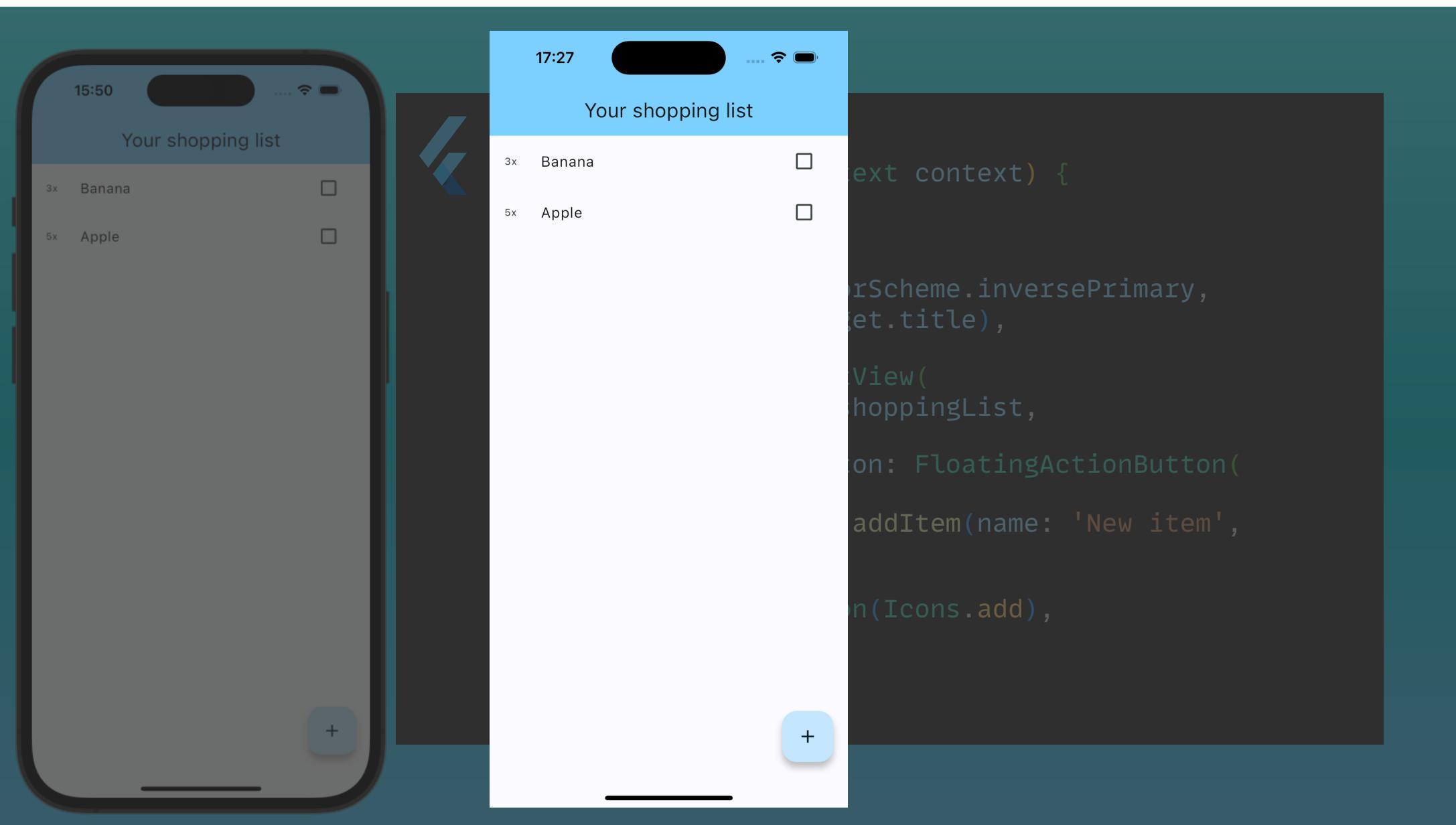
```
class ShoppingListView extends StatelessWidget {  
  const ShoppingListView({super.key});  
  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return ListView.builder(  
      itemCount: _shoppingList.items.length,  
      itemBuilder: (context, index) {  
        final item = _shoppingList.items[index];  
        return _ShoppingListItemTile(  
          key: ValueKey(item.id),  
          item: item,  
        );  
      },  
    );  
  }  
}
```



```
class ShoppingListView extends StatelessWidget {  
    const ShoppingListView({  
        required this.shoppingList,  
        super.key,  
    });  
  
    final ShoppingList shoppingList;  
    @override  
    Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
        return ListView.builder(  
            itemCount: shoppingList.items.length,  
            itemBuilder: (context, index) {  
                final item = shoppingList.items[index];  
                return _ShoppingListItemTile(  
                    key: ValueKey(item.id),  
                    item: item,  
                );  
            },  
        );  
    }  
}
```



```
  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return Scaffold(
      appBar: AppBar(
        backgroundColor:
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.inversePrimary,
        title: Text(widget.title),
      ),
      body: ShoppingListView(
        shoppingList: _shoppingList,
        floatingActionButton: FloatingActionButton(
          onPressed: () {
            setState(() {
              _shoppingList.addItem(name: 'New item',
quantity: 1);
            });
          },
          child: const Icon(Icons.add),
        ),
    );
}
```

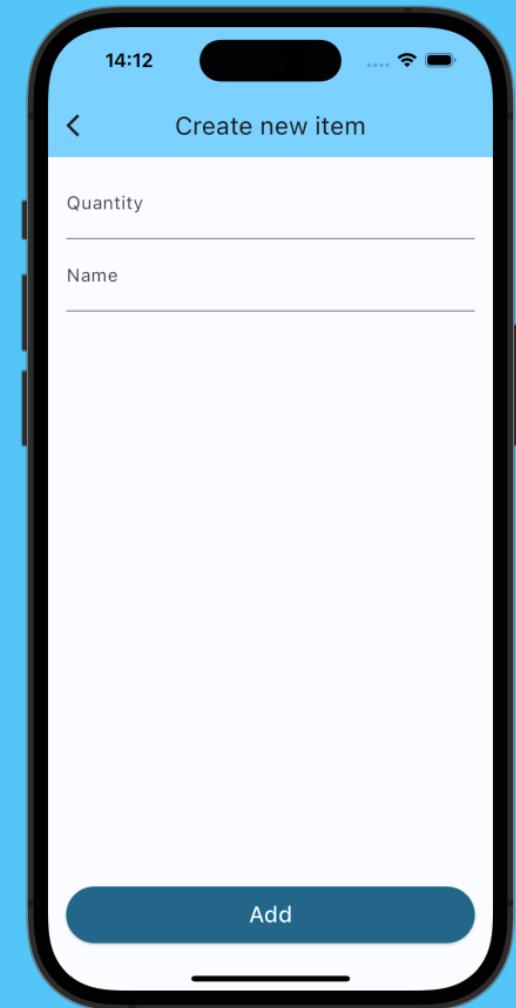


# Creating a new page to add items

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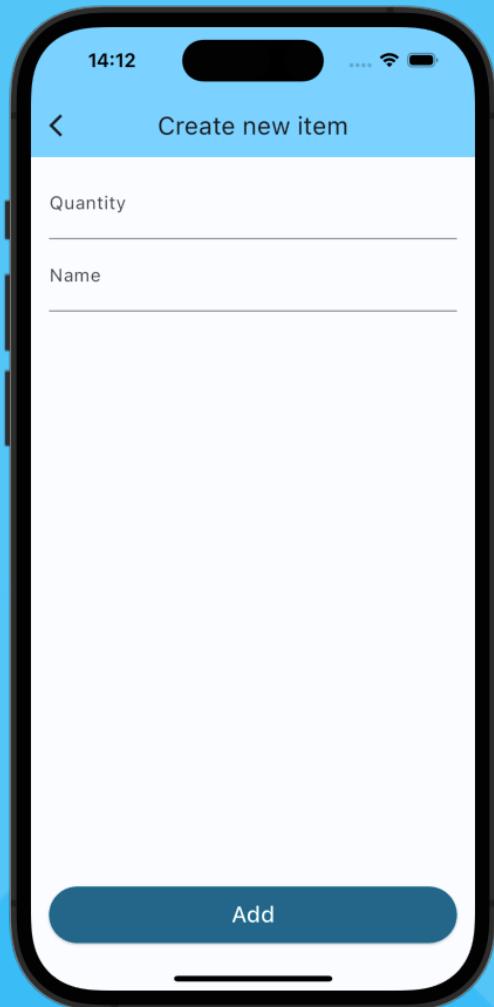
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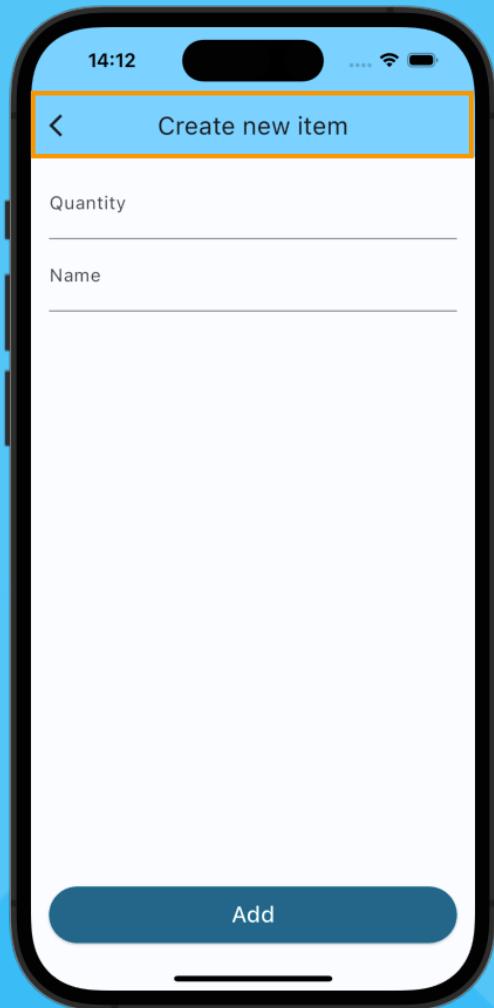


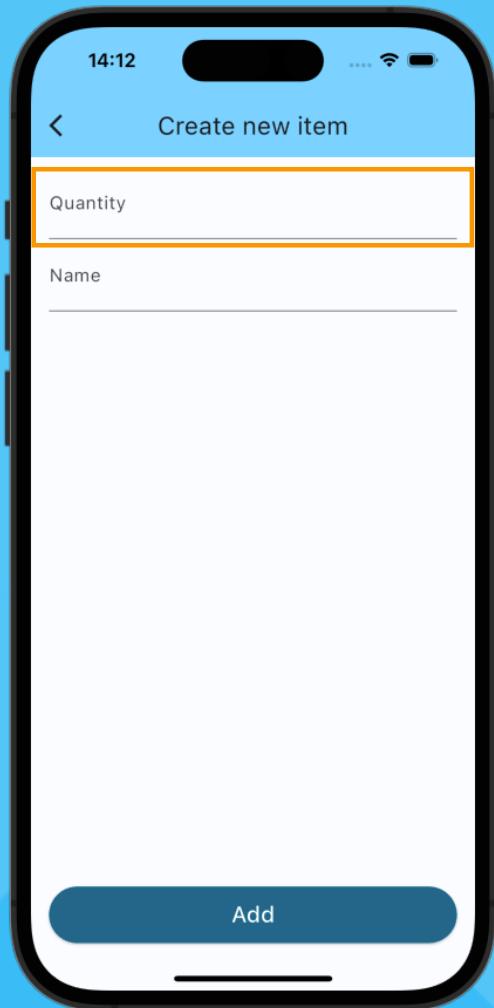


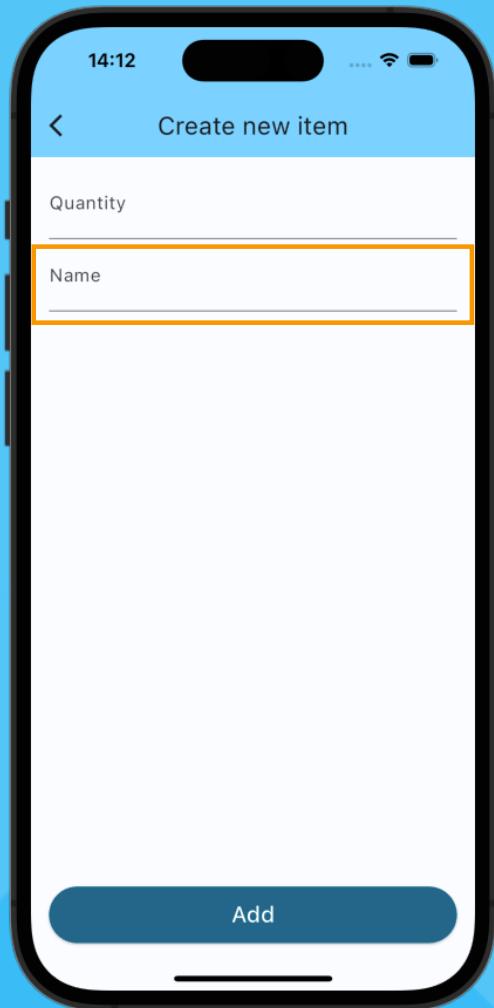
# Breaking down the design

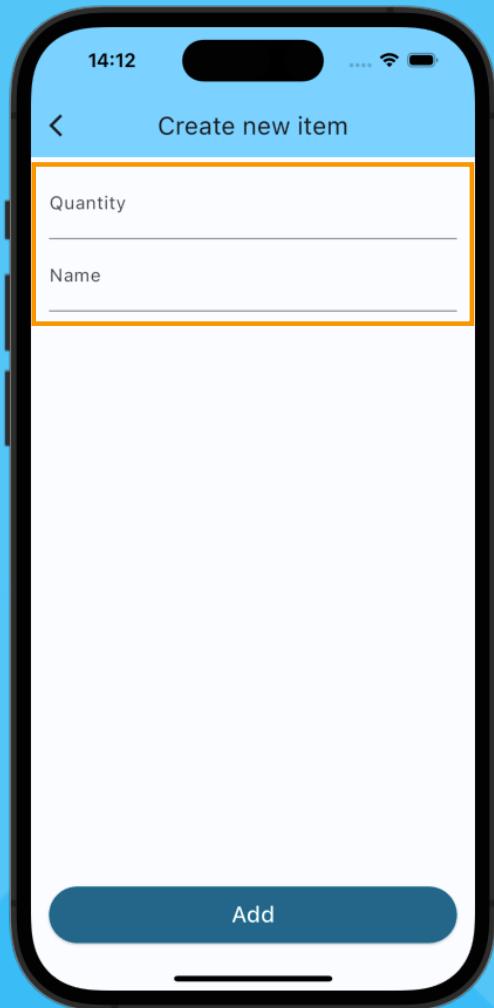
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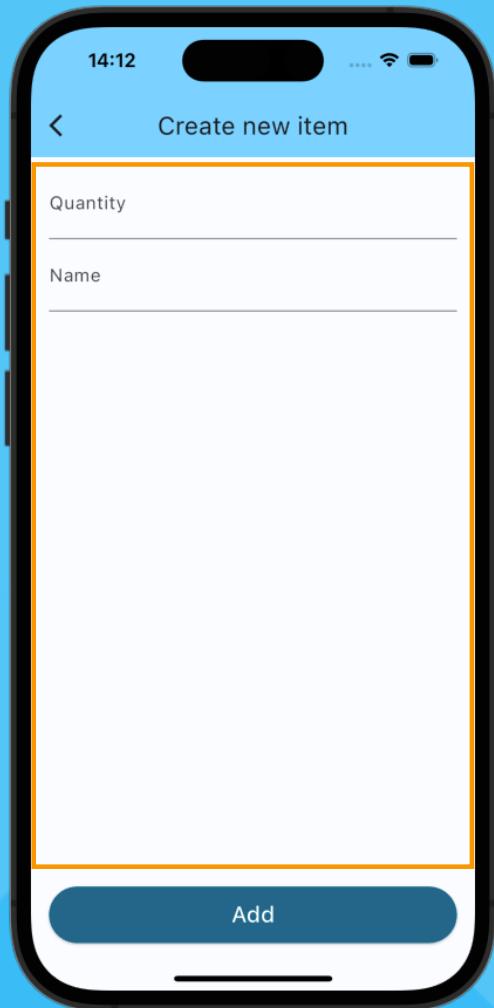


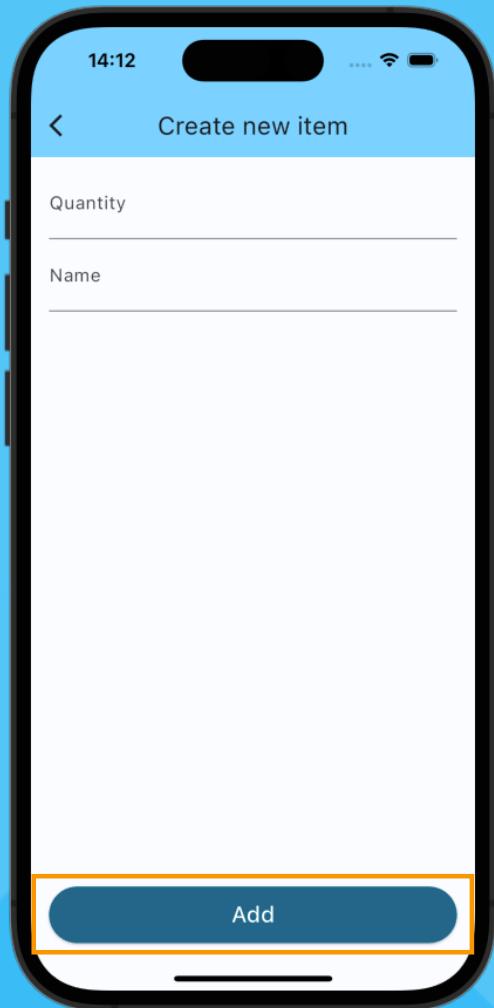






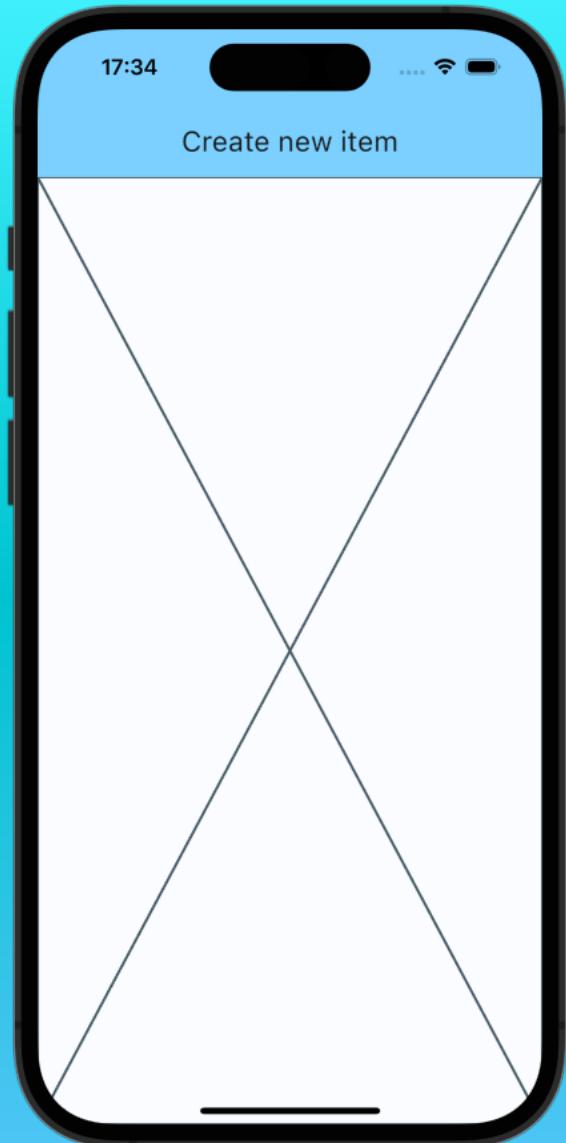






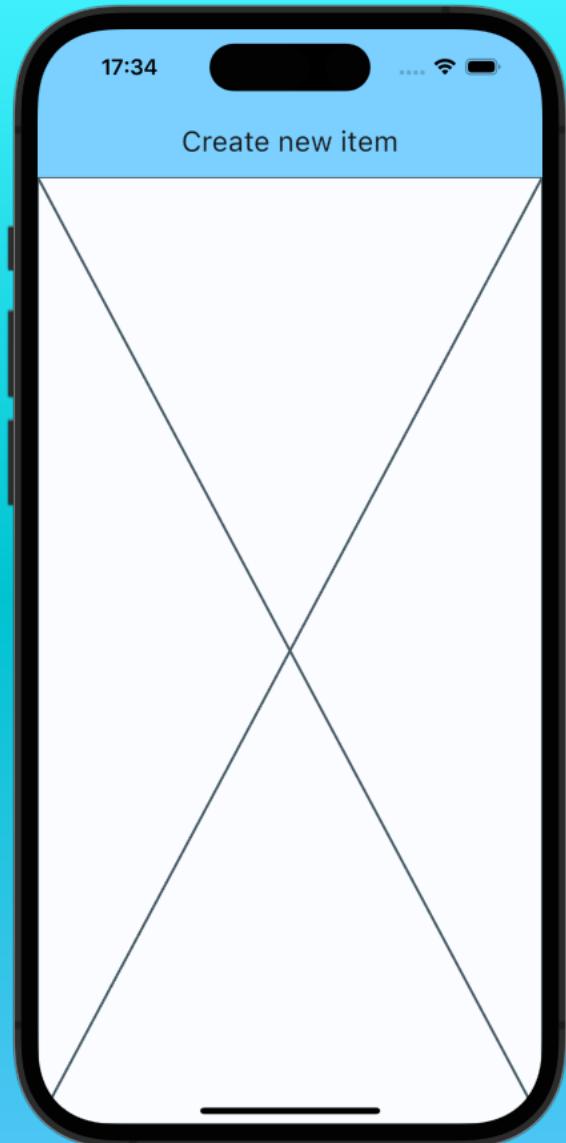
# Implementing the page

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```
class CreateNewShoppingListWidgetItem extends StatelessWidget {
  const CreateNewShoppingListWidgetItem({
    super.key,
    required this.shoppingList,
  });
  final ShoppingList shoppingList;

  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return Scaffold(
      appBar: AppBar(
        backgroundColor:
        Theme.of(context).colorScheme.inversePrimary,
        title: const Text('Create new item'),
      ),
      body: _CreateNewItemForm(
        shoppingList: shoppingList,
      );
    }
}
```



```
class _CreateNewItemForm extends StatefulWidget {
  const _CreateNewItemForm({
    super.key,
    required this.shoppingList,
  });

  final ShoppingList shoppingList;

  @override
  State<_CreateNewItemForm> createState() =>
  _CreateNewItemFormState();
}

class _CreateNewItemFormState extends State<_CreateNewItemForm> {
  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return const Placeholder();
}
```



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Create new item



```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends  
State<_CreateNewItemForm> {  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return Form(  
      child: Column(  
        children: [],  
      ),  
    );  
  }  
}
```

# Column



“A widget that displays its children in a vertical array.”

# Row

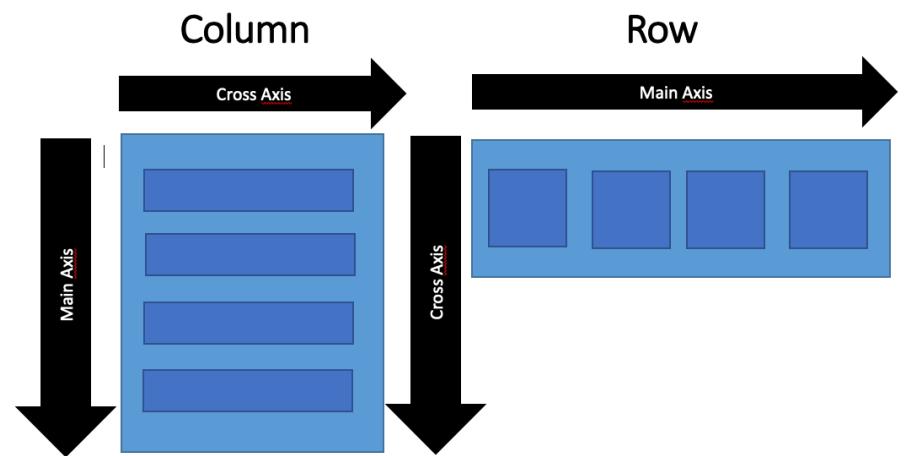


“A widget that displays its children in a horizontal array.“

# Column/Row



- **children:** “The widgets below this widget in the tree.”
- **mainAxisAlignment:** “How the children should be placed along the main axis.”
- **mainAxisSize:** “How much space should be occupied in the main axis.”
- **crossAxisAlignment:** “How the children should be placed along the cross axis.”
- **see all properties [here](#)**



# Column/Row vs. Flexbox

## mainAxisAlignment

- start
- end
- center
- spaceBetween
- spaceAround
- spaceEvenly

## justify-content

- start
- end
- center
- space-between
- space-around
- space-evenly

# Column/Row vs. Flexbox

## crossAxisAlignment

- start
- end
- center
- stretch
- baseline

## align-items

- start
- end
- center
- stretch
- baseline

# Column/Row vs. Flexbox

## Expanded

- “A widget that expands a child of Row, Column, or Flex so that the child fills the available space.”

## flex

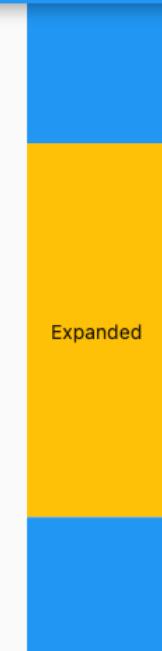
- “flex CSS shorthand property sets how a flex item will grow or shrink to fit the space available in its flex container.”

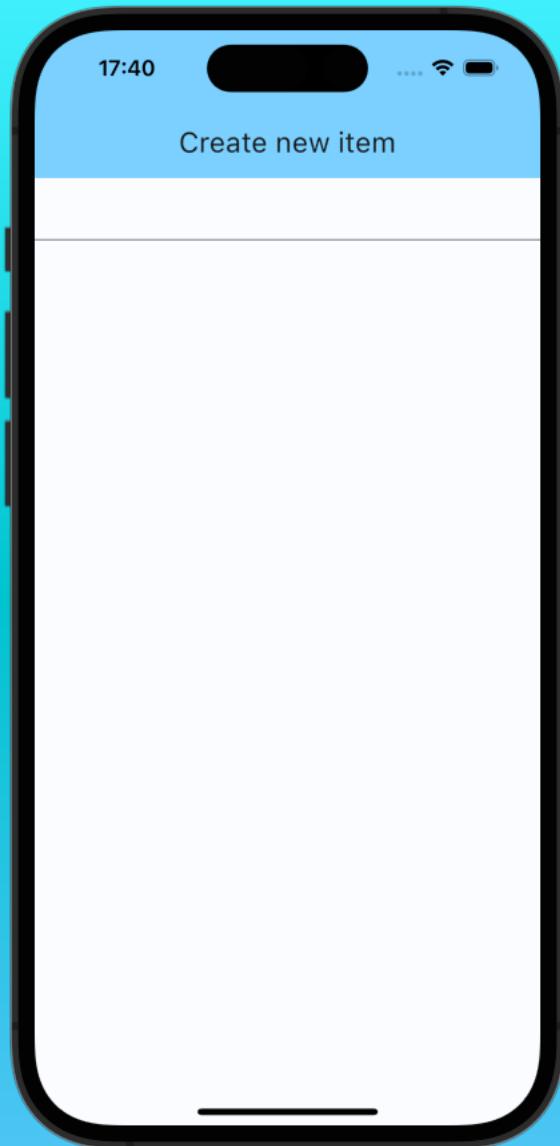
# Expanded

Expanded Row Sample



Expanded Column Sample





```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends State<_CreateNewItemForm> {
  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return Form(
      child: Column(
        children: [
          TextFormField(),
        ],
      );
    }
}
```

# TextField



“A **FormField** that contains a **TextField**. This is a convenience widget that wraps a **TextField** widget in a **FormField**.“

# TextField



- **decoration:** “The decoration to show around the text field.“
- **controller:** “Controls the text being edited.“
- **validator:** “An optional method that validates the input. Returns an error string to display if the input is invalid, or null otherwise.“
- see all properties [here](#)

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Create new item

Name



```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends  
State<_CreateNewItemForm> {  
  @override  
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return Form(  
      child: Column(  
        children: [  
          TextFormField(  
            decoration: InputDecoration(  
              labelText: 'Name',  
            ),  
            ),  
            ],  
          );  
    }  
}
```

# Padding



“A widget that insets its child by the given padding.“

# Padding



- **child:** “The widget below this widget in the tree.“
- **padding:** “The amount of space by which to inset the child.“
- **see all properties [here](#)**

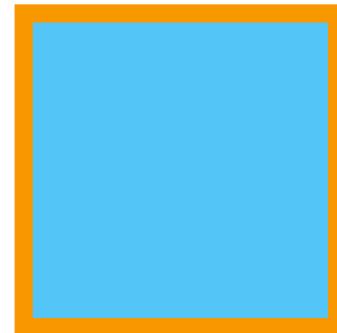
# Understanding EdgeInsets

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# EdgeInsets.all



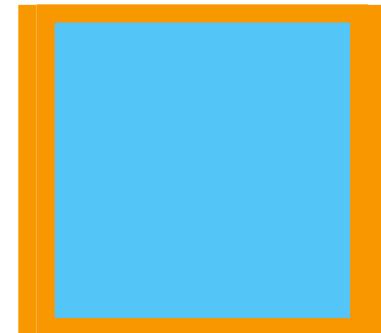
```
const EdgeInsets.all(8.0);
```



# EdgeInsets.symmetric

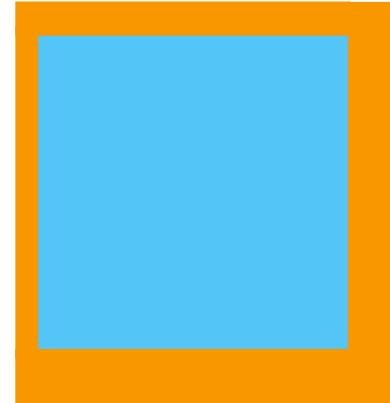


```
const EdgeInsets.symmetric(  
    horizontal: 16,  
    vertical: 8,  
);
```



# EdgeInsets.fromLTRB

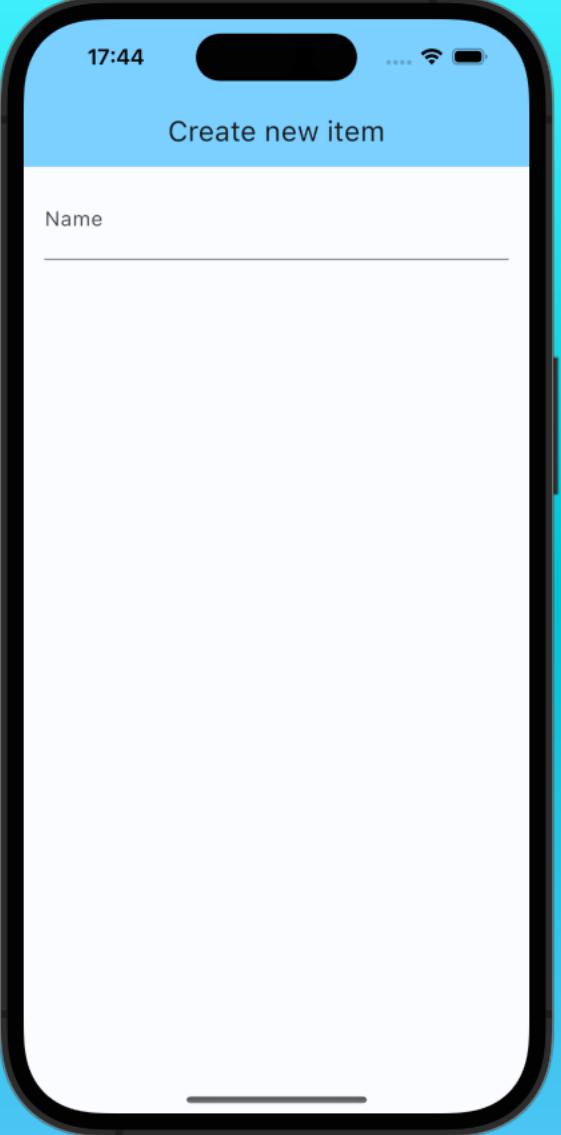
```
const EdgeInsets.fromLTRB(  
  10,  
  15,  
  20,  
  25,  
);
```



# EdgeInsets.only



```
const EdgeInsets.only(left: 10.0);
```



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Create new item

Name



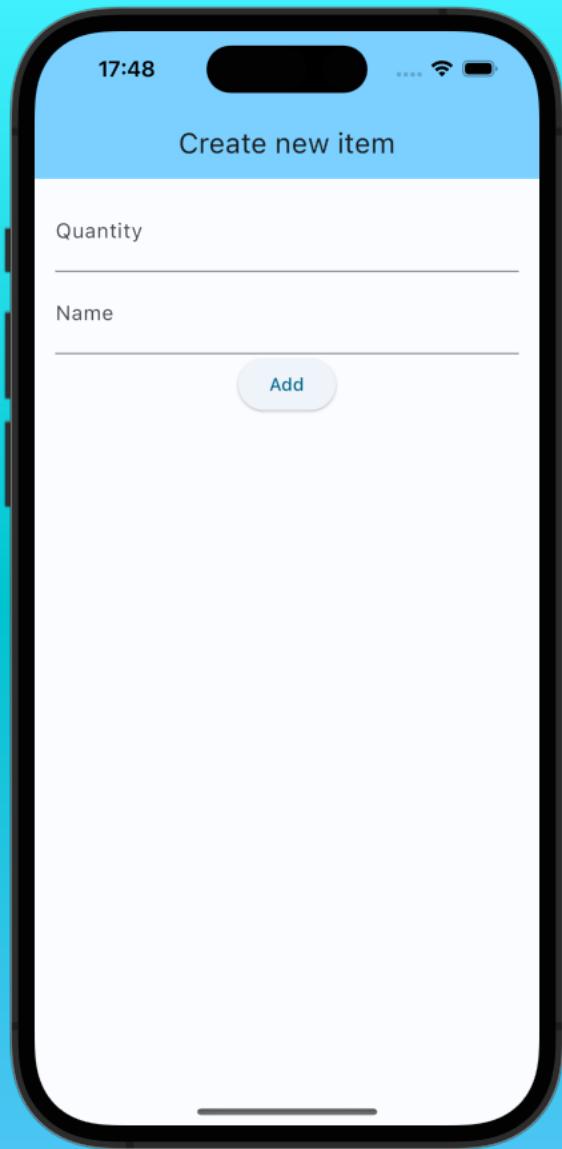
```
@override
Widget build(BuildContext context) {
  return Padding(
    padding: const EdgeInsets.symmetric(
      horizontal: 16,
      vertical: 8,
    ),
    child: Form(
      child: Column(
        children: [
          TextFormField(
            decoration: InputDecoration(
              labelText: 'Name',
            ),
          ),
        ],
      ),
    );
}
```

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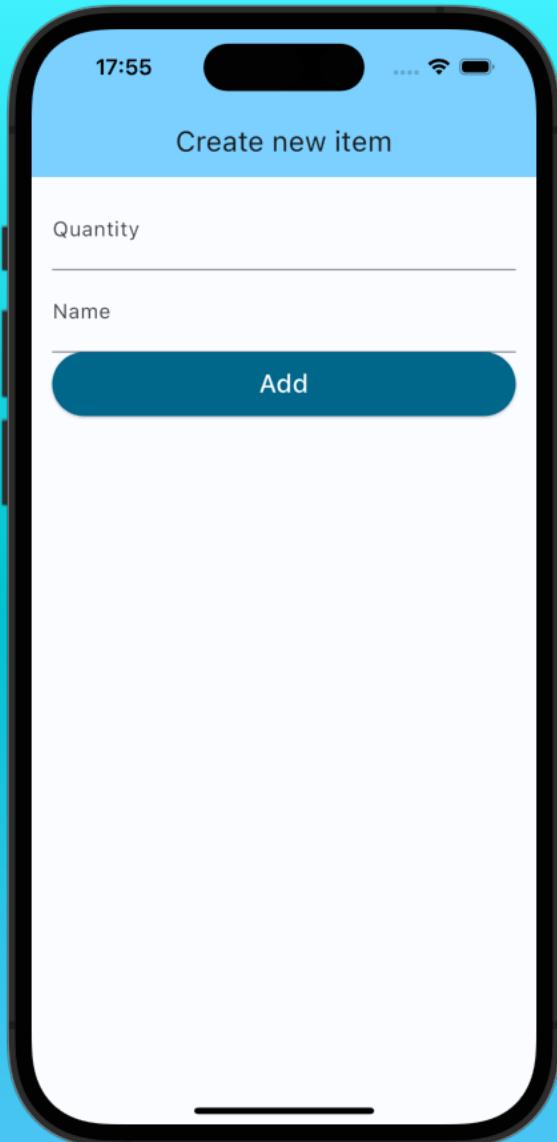
## Create new item

Name

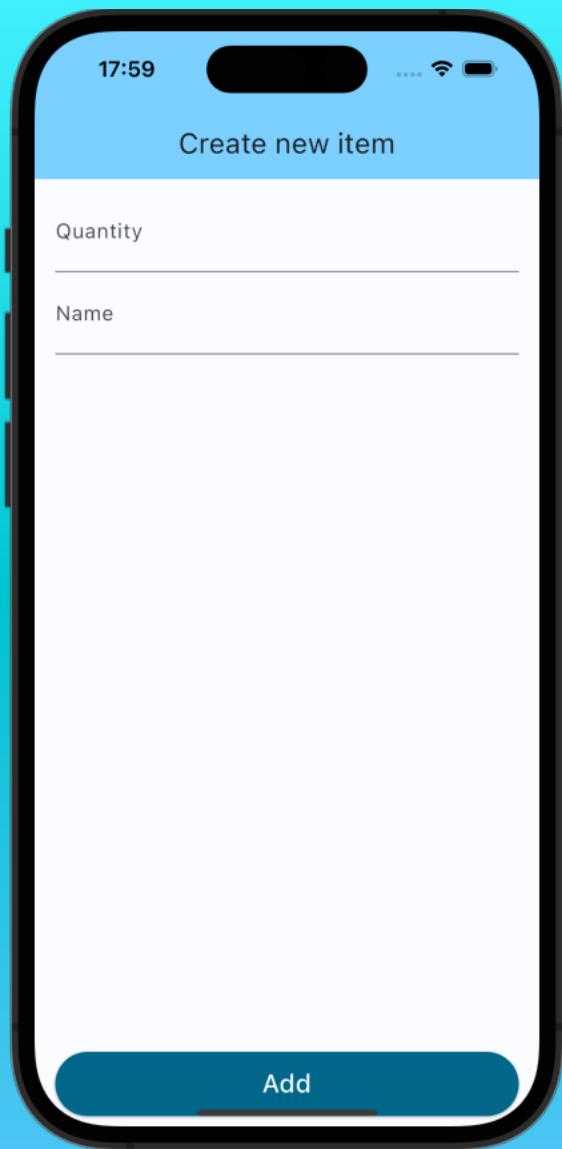
```
No usages  
@override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
  >    return Form(...); // Form  
}  
}
```



```
[  
  TextFormField(  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Quantity',  
    ),  
  ),  
  TextFormField(  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Name',  
    ),  
  ),  
  ElevatedButton(  
    onPressed: () {},  
    child: const Text('Add'),  
  ),  
,
```



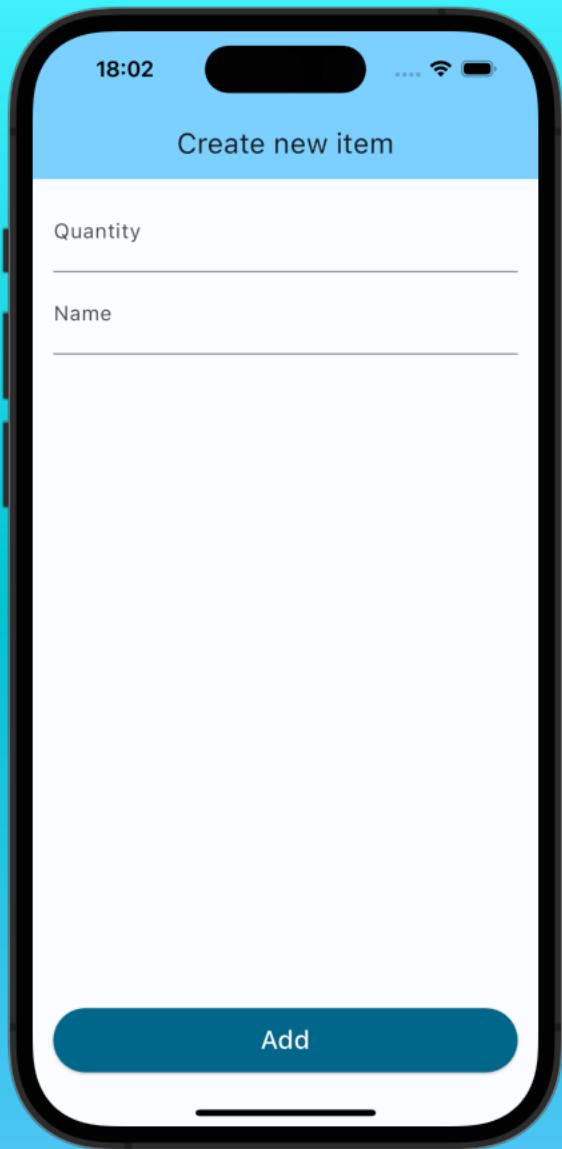
```
ElevatedButton(  
    style: ElevatedButton.styleFrom(  
        backgroundColor:  
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.primary,  
        foregroundColor:  
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.onPrimary,  
        minimumSize: const Size.fromHeight(50.0),  
    ),  
    onPressed: () {},  
    child: const Text(  
        'Add',  
        style: TextStyle(fontSize: 20),  
    ),  
,
```



```
[  
  Expanded(  
    child: Column(  
      children: [  
        TextFormField(  
          ...  
        ),  
        TextFormField(  
          ...  
        ),  
        ],  
      ),  
      ElevatedButton(  
        ...  
      ),  
    ]
```

# SafeArea

“A widget that insets its child by sufficient padding to avoid intrusions by the operating system.”



```
return SafeArea(  
    child: ...  
);
```

A dark gray rectangular box is positioned on the right side of the image. In the top-left corner of this box is the Flutter logo icon, a stylized blue 'K' shape. To the right of the icon, there is some Dart code: "return SafeArea( child: ... );". The rest of the box is blank.

# Capturing Input

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# Capturing Input

- Two viable approaches
  1. Using a state variable and setting it in the `onChanged` callback of the `TextField`
  2. Using a `TextEditingController`

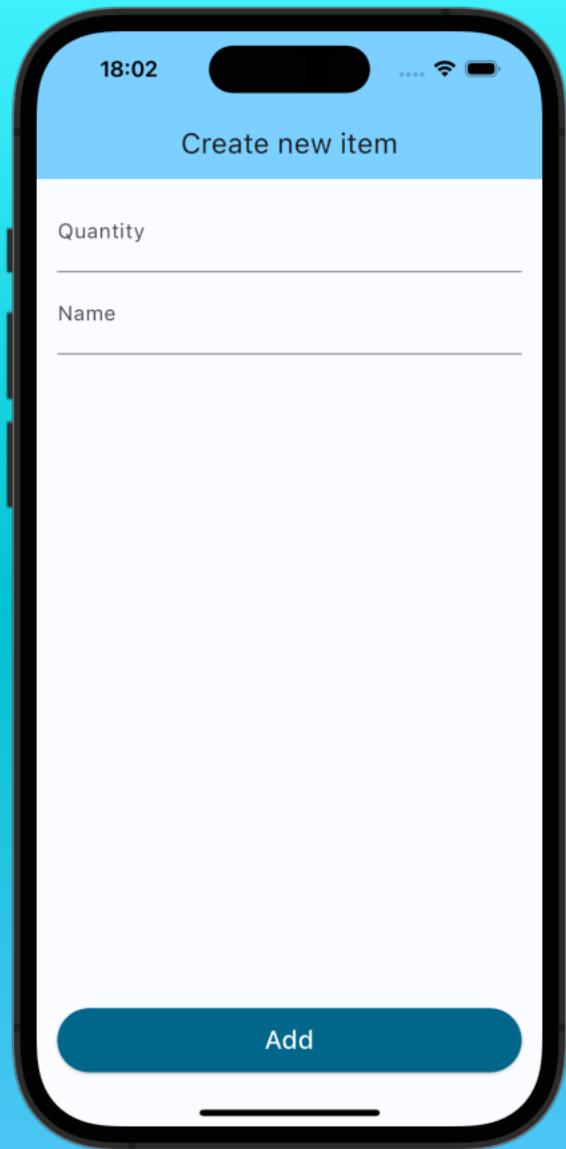
# Capturing Input

## State variables

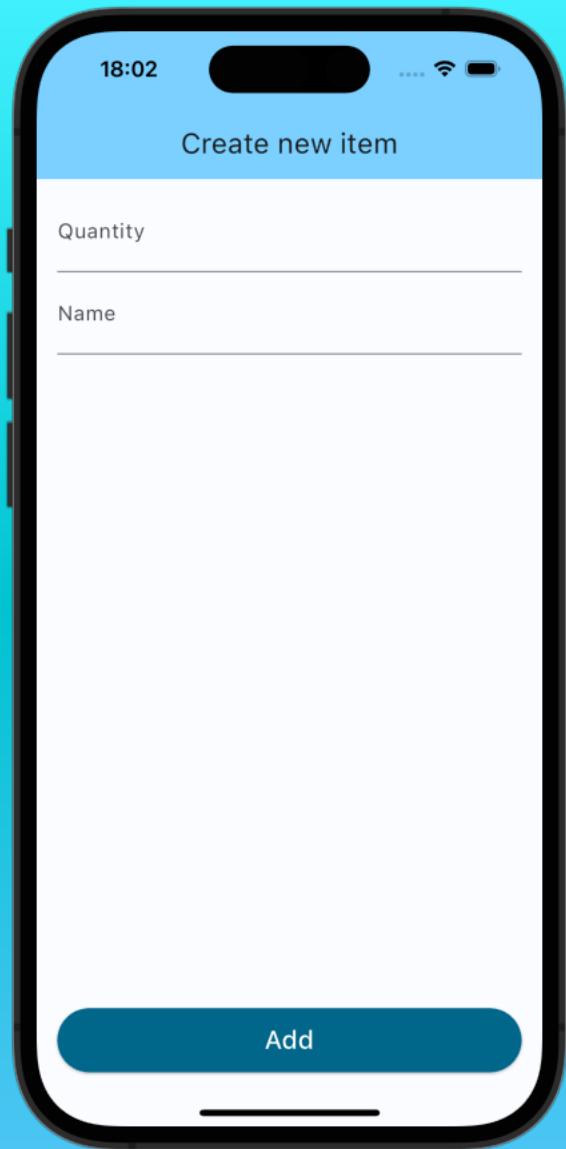
- Rerenders the whole widget tree when the input changes
- Useful when the input is displayed somewhere else than the TextField itself

## TextEditingController

- Only rerenders the TextField
- Requires disposing and initializing



```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends  
State<_CreateNewItemForm> {  
    late final TextEditingController  
    _quantityController;  
    late final TextEditingController  
    _nameController;  
    ↳ tells the compiler that _nameController is initialized before  
} being used
```



```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends State<_CreateNewItemForm> {
    late final TextEditingController
    _quantityController;
    late final TextEditingController
    _nameController;

    @override
    void initState() {
        super.initState();
        _quantityController =
    TextEditingController();
        _nameController = TextEditingController();
    }

    ...
}
```

# Lifecycle methods of a StatefulWidget

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# Lifecycle methods of a StatefulWidget (processed in order)

1. `createState()`
2. `mounted = true`
3. `initState()`
4. `didChangeDependencies()`
5. `build()`
6. `didUpdateWidget()`
7. `setState()`
8. `deactivate()`
9. `dispose()`
10. `mounted = false`

# initState()

- Is the first method called after the creation of the widget
- Only called once!
- Must call `super.initState()` before doing anything else
- Useful for:
  - Initializing data that relies on the BuildContext
  - Initializing properties that rely on properties from the widget itself
  - Subscribing to any object that could change the data on the widget

# build()

- Called on every render => Called very often!
- Must return a widget

# dispose()

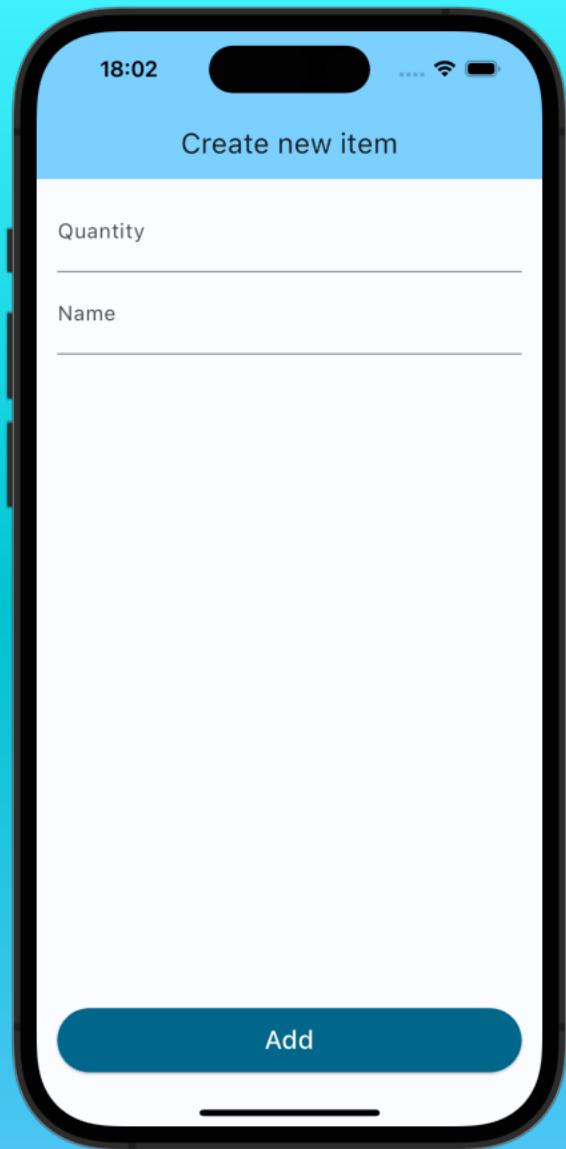
- Called when the state is permanently removed from the tree
- Needs to call `super.dispose()` after everything else
- Useful for:
  - Unsubscribing
  - Cancelling animations
  - Calling dispose methods of state members (e.g. `TextEditingController`)

# Lifecycle methods of a StatefulWidget

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3. `initState()`
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5. `build()`
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# Handling the lifecycle of a `TextEditingController`

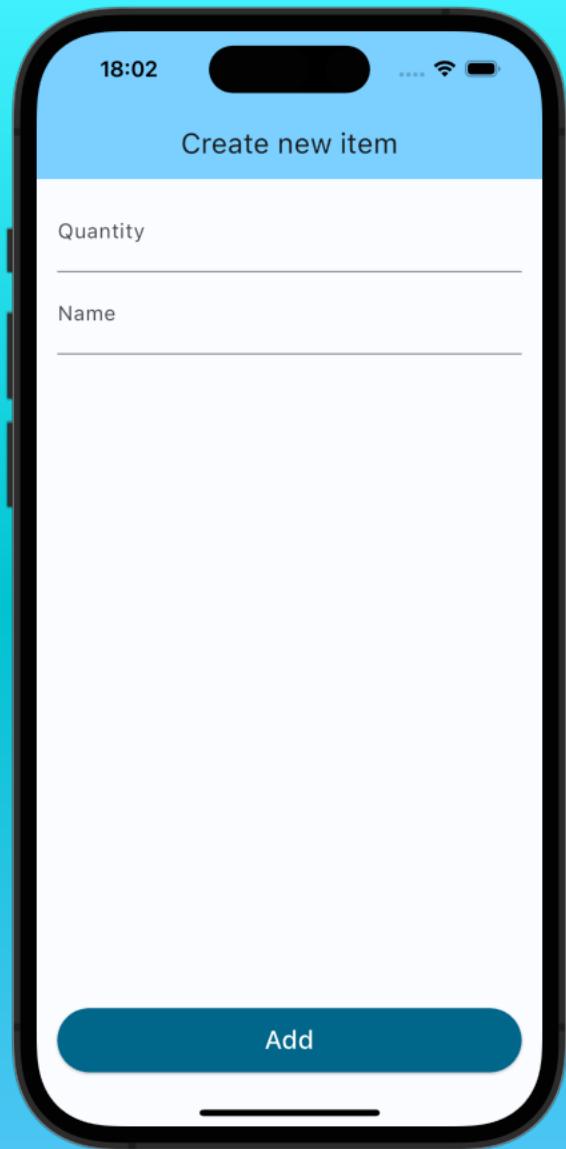
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```
class _CreateNewItemFormState extends State<_CreateNewItemForm> {
    late final TextEditingController _quantityController;
    late final TextEditingController _nameController;

    @override
    void initState() {
        super.initState();
        _quantityController = TextEditingController();
        _nameController = TextEditingController();
    }

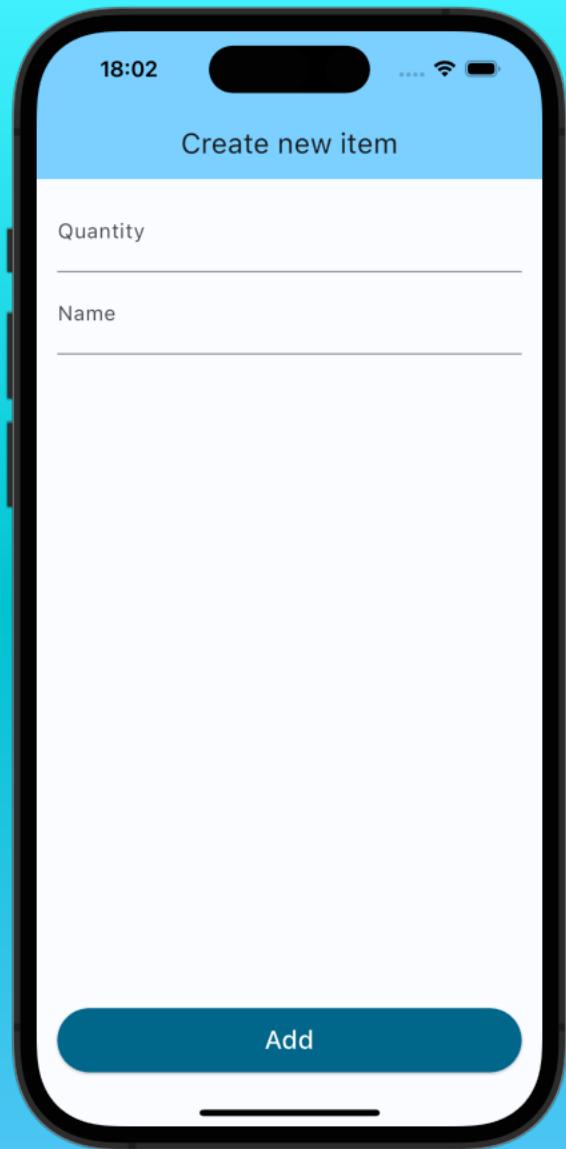
    @override
    void dispose() {
        _quantityController.dispose();
        _nameController.dispose();
        super.dispose();
    }
}
```



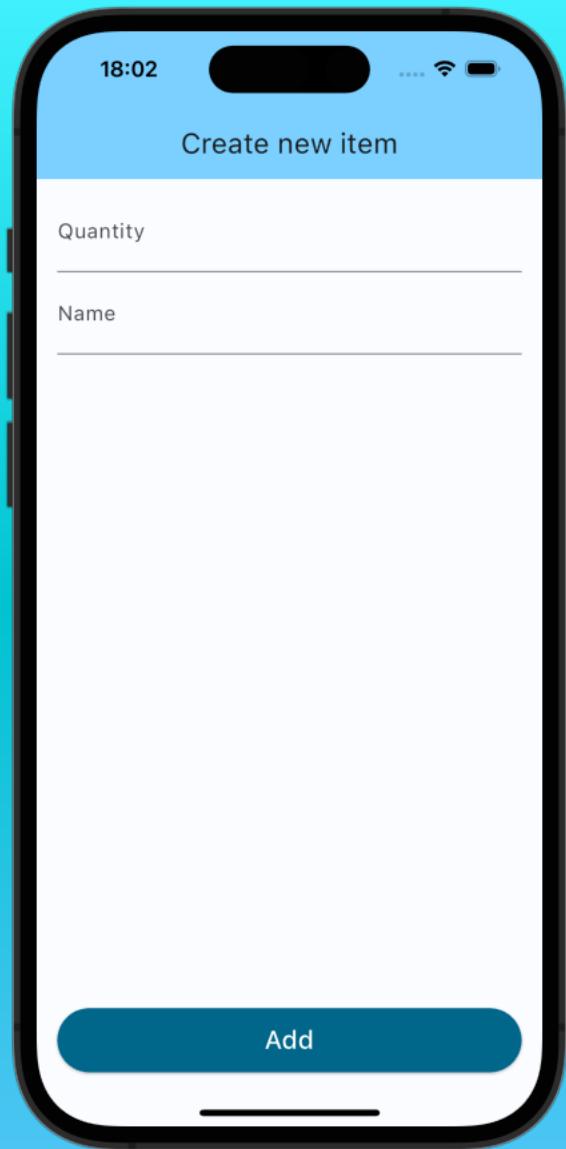
```
[  
  TextFormField(  
    controller: _quantityController,  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Quantity',  
    ),  
  ),  
  TextFormField(  
    controller: _nameController,  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Name',  
    ),  
  ),  
]
```

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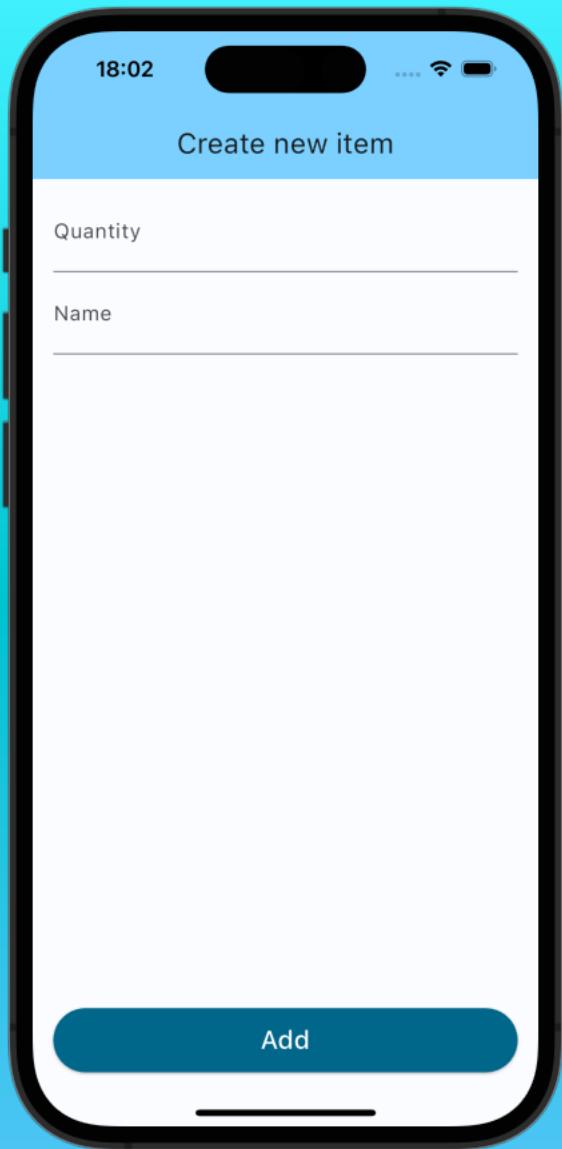
Adding validation



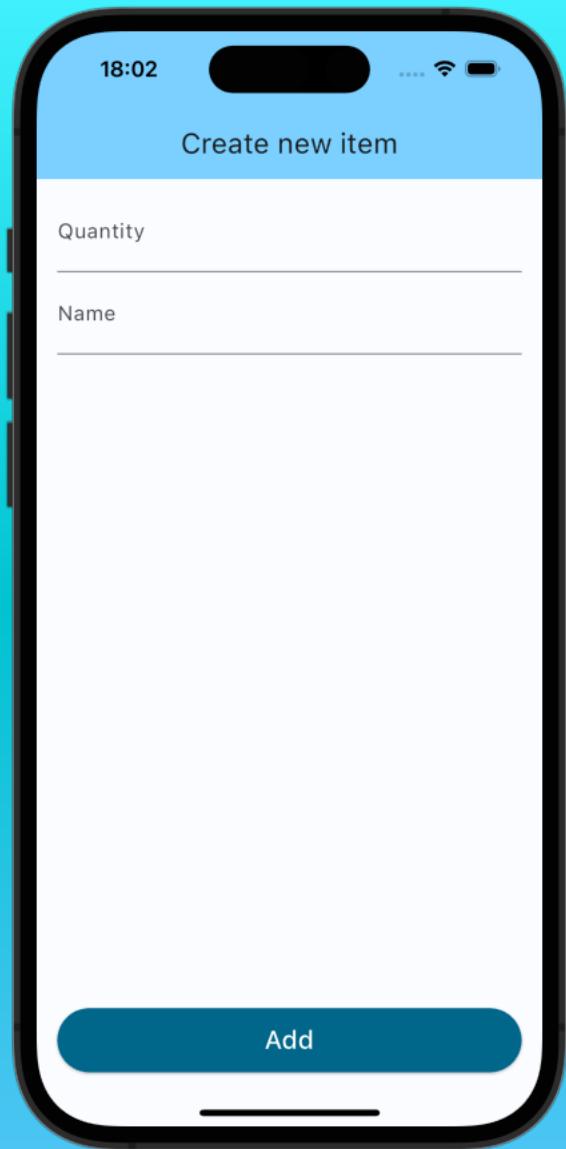
```
[  
  TextFormField(  
    controller: _quantityController,  
    keyboardType: TextInputType.numberWithOptions(  
      decimal: false,  
      signed: false,  
    ),  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Quantity',  
    ),  
  ),  
  TextFormField(  
    validator: (value) {  
      if (value == null || value.isEmpty) {  
        return 'Please enter a name';  
      }  
      return null;  
    },  
    controller: _nameController,  
    decoration: InputDecoration(  
      labelText: 'Name',  
    ),  
  ),  
>]
```



```
final _formKey = GlobalKey<FormState>();  
{@override  
Widget build(BuildContext context) {  
    return SafeArea(  
        child: Padding(  
            padding: ...,  
            child: Form(  
                key: _formKey,  
                child: ...  
            ),  
        ),  
    );  
}}
```



```
ElevatedButton(  
    style: ElevatedButton.styleFrom(  
        backgroundColor:  
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.primary,  
        foregroundColor:  
Theme.of(context).colorScheme.onPrimary,  
        minimumSize: const Size.fromHeight(50.0),  
    ),  
    onPressed: () {},  
    child: const Text(  
        'Add',  
        style: TextStyle(fontSize: 20),  
    ),  
,
```

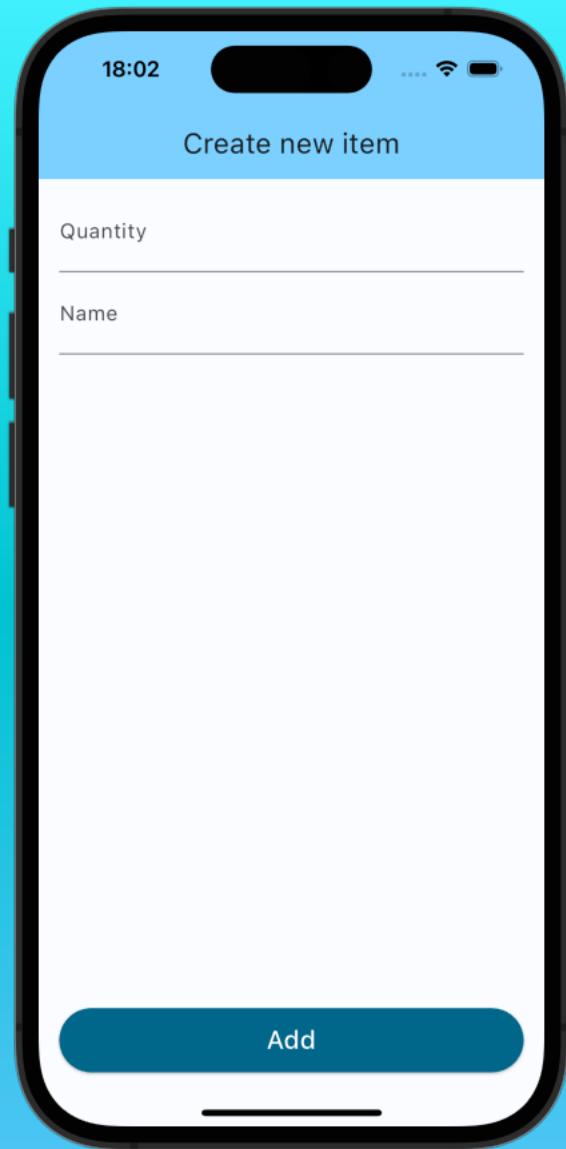


```
ElevatedButton(  
    style: ...,  
    onPressed: () {  
        if (!_formKey.currentState!.validate()) {  
            return;  
        }  
        ,  
        child: ...,  
    ),
```

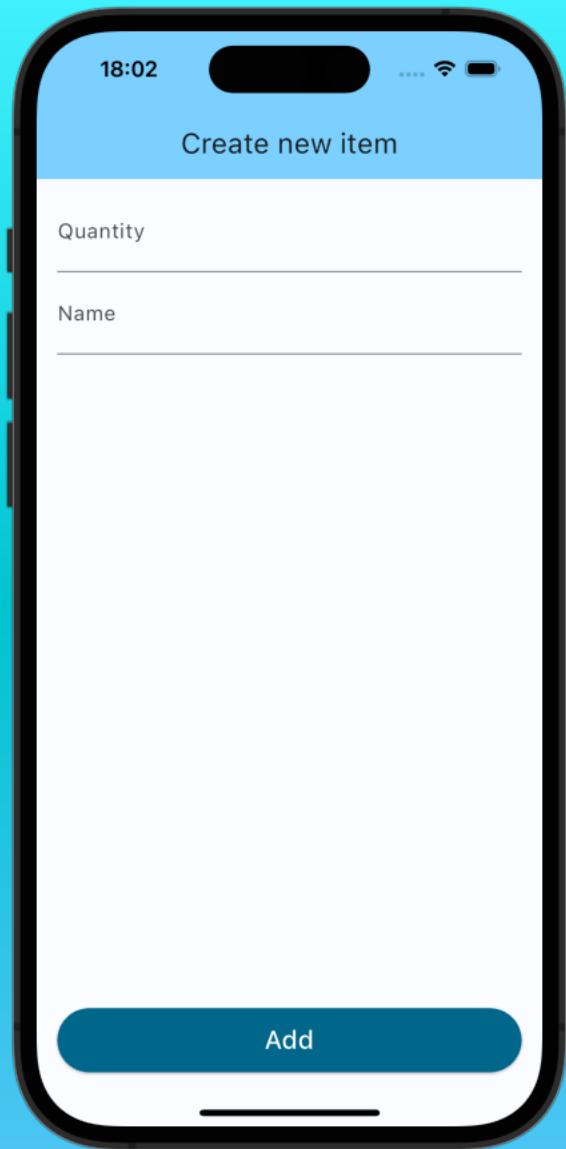
A dark gray rectangular box contains a snippet of Dart code. The code defines an instance of the `ElevatedButton` class. It includes properties for `style`, `onPressed`, and `child`. The `onPressed` handler calls the `validate` method on the current state of a form key, which must return true for the button to be pressed. The `child` property is set to an ellipsis (...).

# Extracting Input

Shopping List App



```
 ElevatedButton(  
    style: ...,  
    onPressed: () {  
        if (!_formKey.currentState!.validate()) {  
            return;  
        }  
        final quantity = Null operator ↑  
        int.tryParse(_quantityController.text) ?? 1;  
        final name = _nameController.text;  
    },  
    child: ...,  
),
```



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ElevatedButton(
    style: ...,
    onPressed: () {
        if (!_formKey.currentState!.validate()) {
            return;
        }
        final quantity =
int.tryParse(_quantityController.text) ?? 1;
        final name = _nameController.text;
        widget.shoppingList.addItem(
            name: name,
            quantity: quantity,
        );
    },
    child: ...,
),
```

# Navigation to the new Page

Shopping List App

# Navigators

## Navigator 1.0

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👉 We will use the simpler approach

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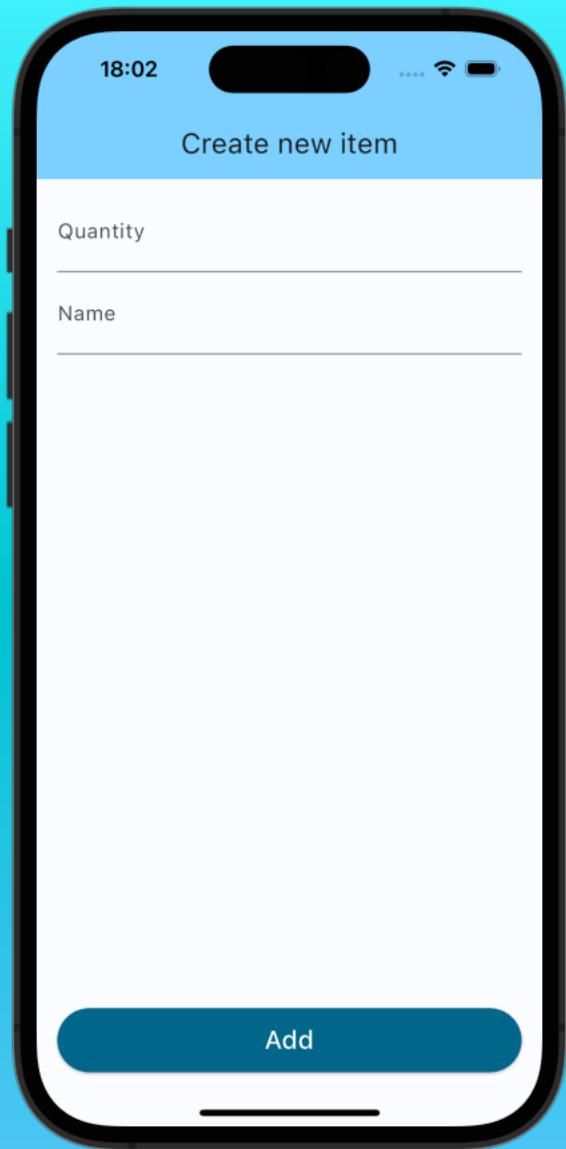
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# Pushing new pages

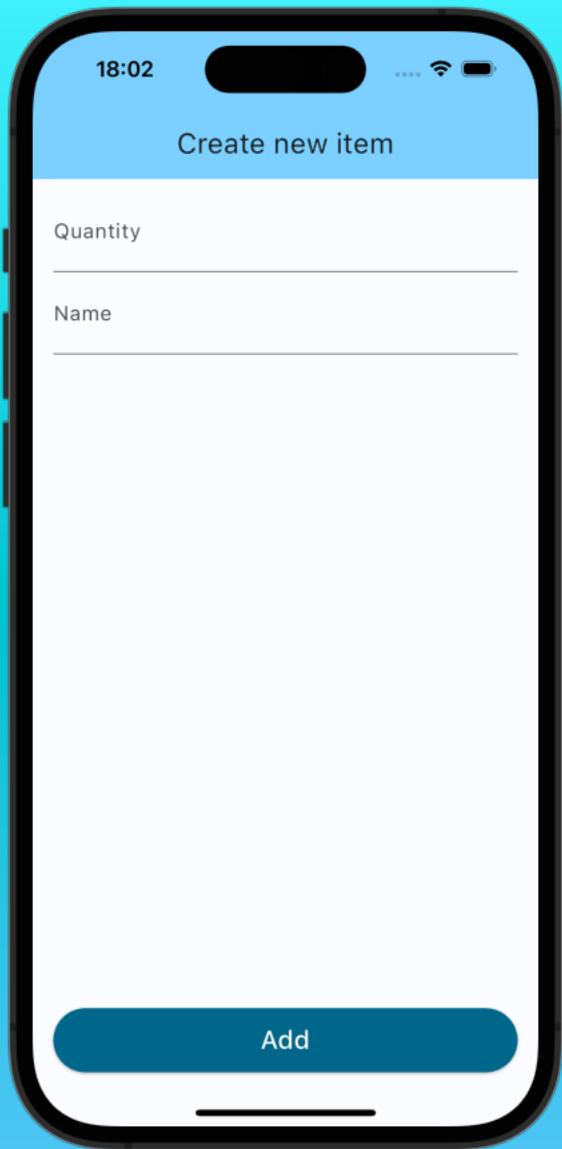
```
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// Within the `FirstRoute` widget  
 onPressed: () {  
   Navigator.push(  
     context,  
     MaterialPageRoute(builder: (context) => const SecondRoute()),  
   );  
 }  
  
}
```

# Popping pages

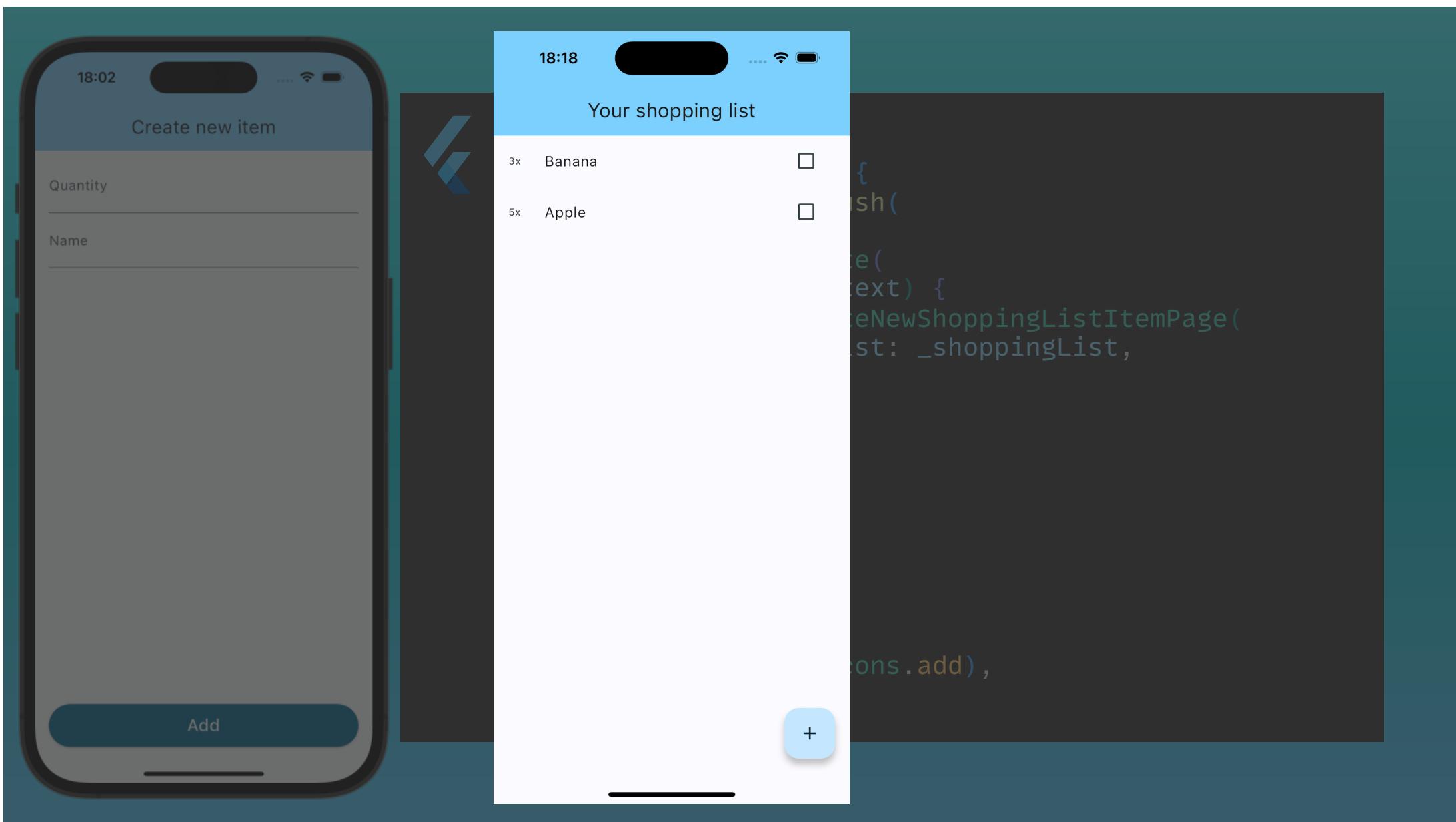
```
// Within the SecondRoute widget
 onPressed: () {
    Navigator.pop(context);
}
```



```
 ElevatedButton(  
    style: ...,  
    onPressed: () {  
        if (!_formKey.currentState!.validate()) {  
            return;  
        }  
        final quantity =  
            int.tryParse(_quantityController.text) ?? 1;  
        final name = _nameController.text;  
        widget.shoppingList.addItem(  
            name: name,  
            quantity: quantity,  
        );  
        Navigator.pop(context);  
    },  
    child: ...,  
),
```

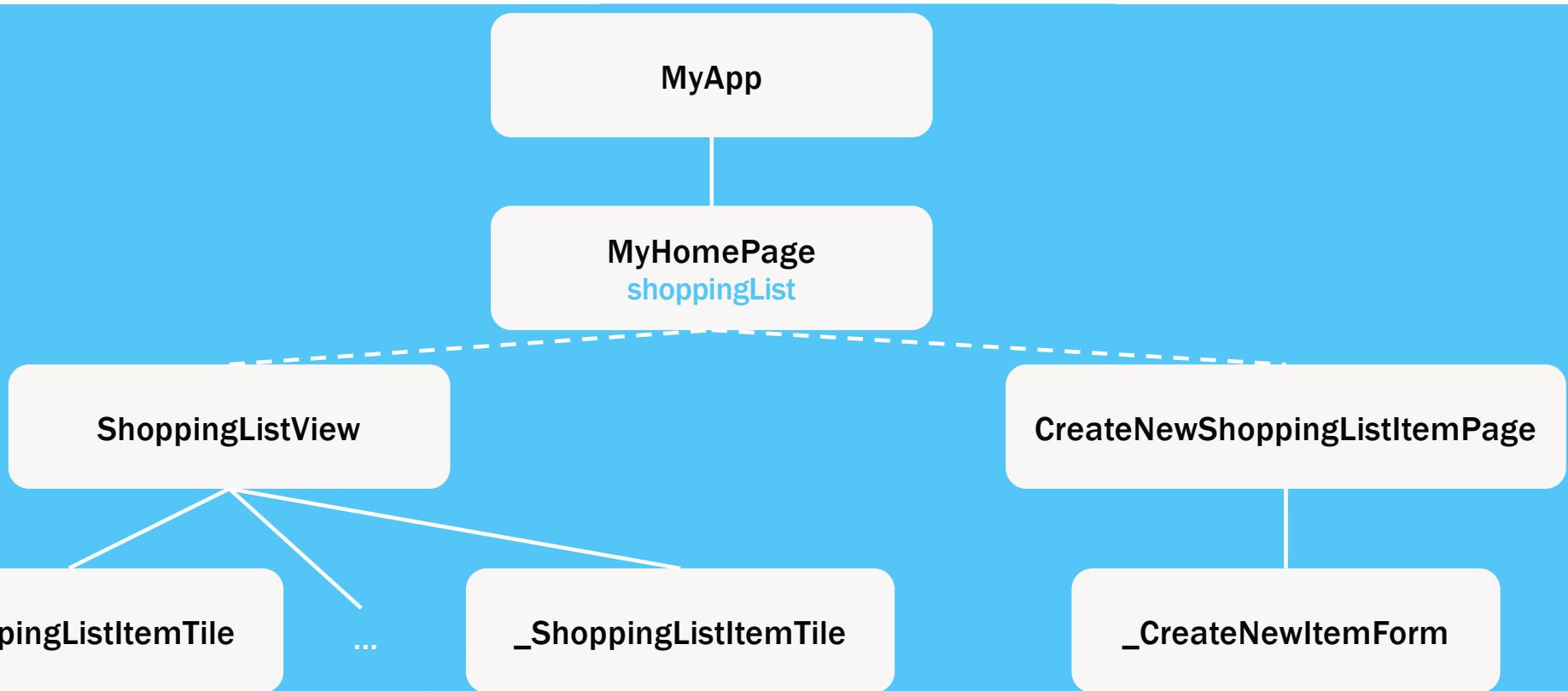


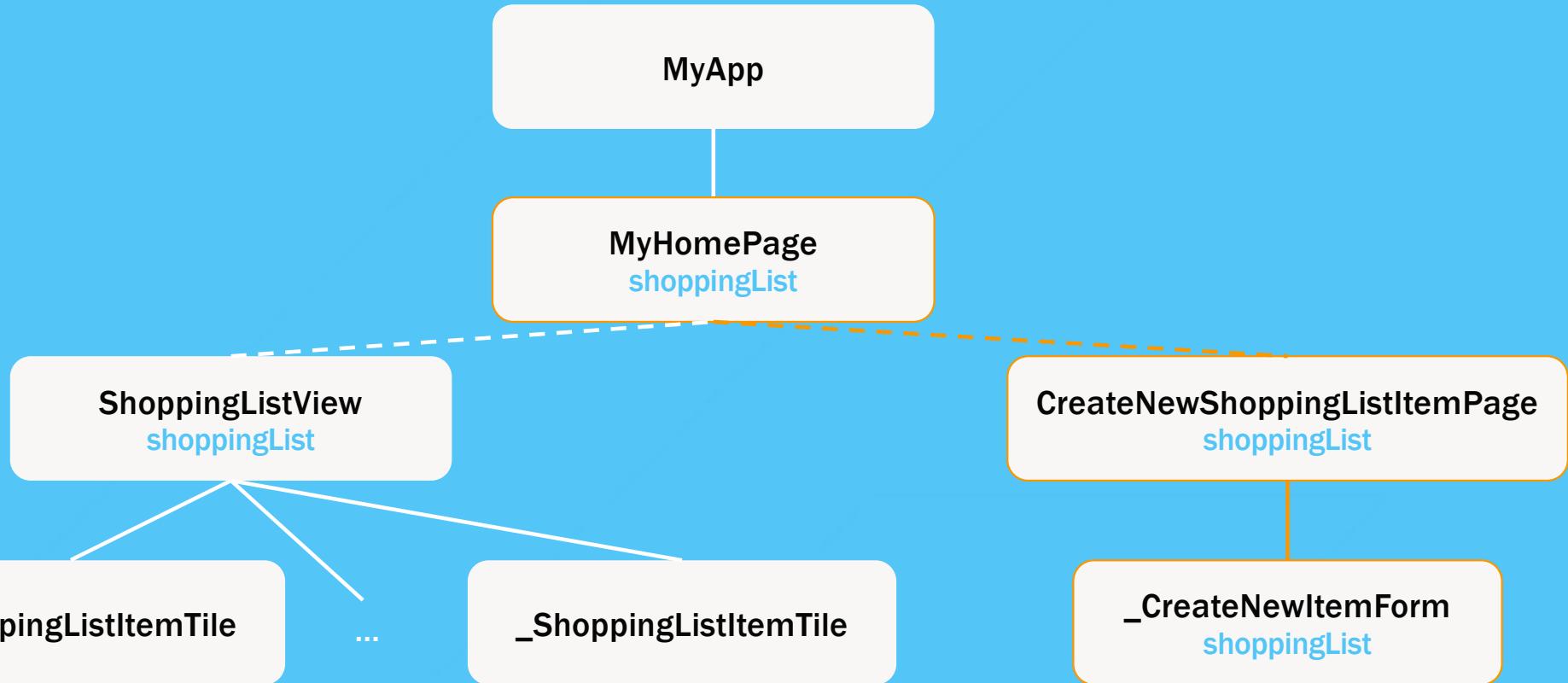
```
FloatingActionButton(  
    onPressed: () async {  
        await Navigator.push(  
            context,  
            MaterialPageRoute(  
                builder: (context) {  
                    return CreateNewItemPage(  
                        shoppingList: _shoppingList,  
                    );  
                },  
            ),  
        );  
        if(mounted) {  ➡ check if the widget is still mounted  
            setState(() {  after an asynchronous operation  
                // rerender  
            });  
        }  
    },  
    child: const Icon(Icons.add),  
)
```

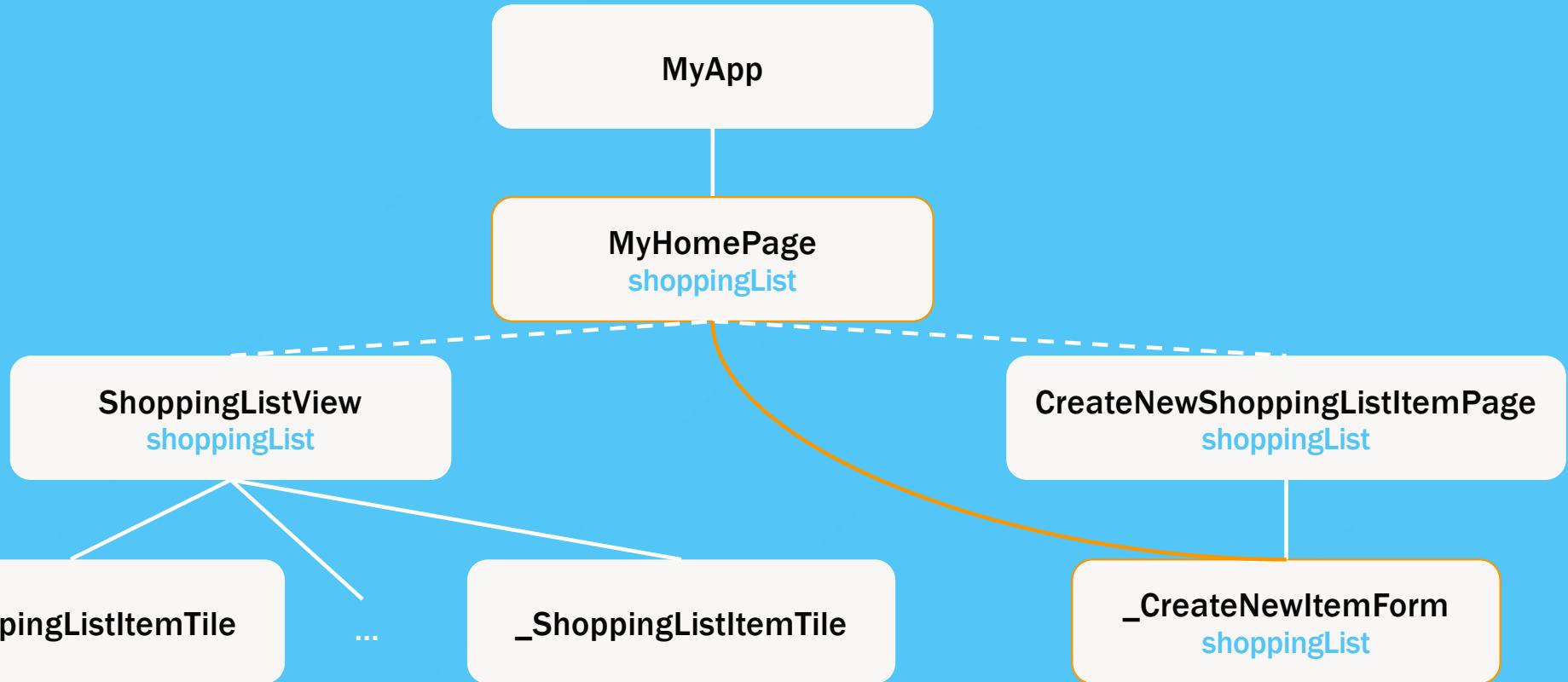


# Advanced state management

The problem

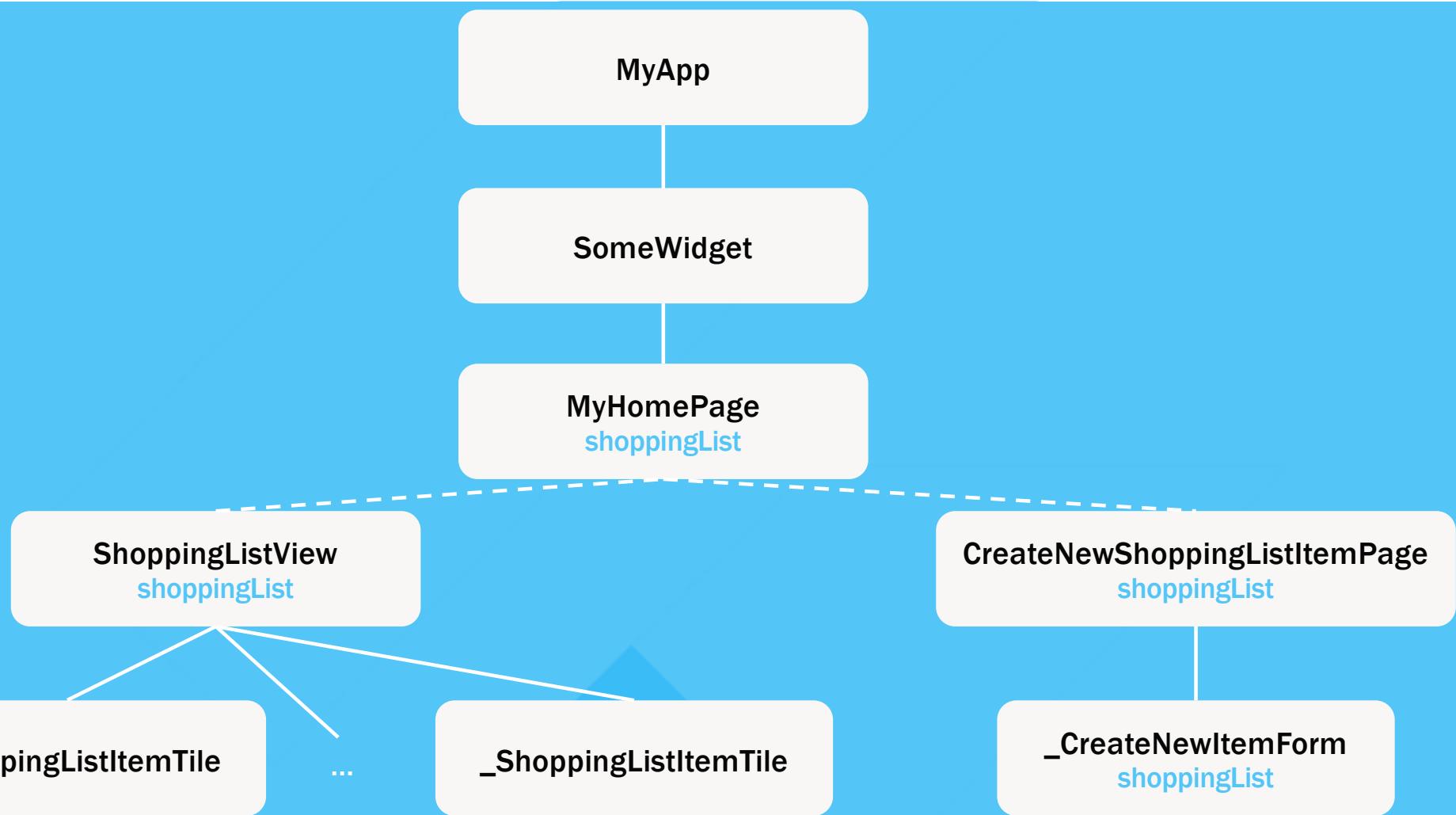


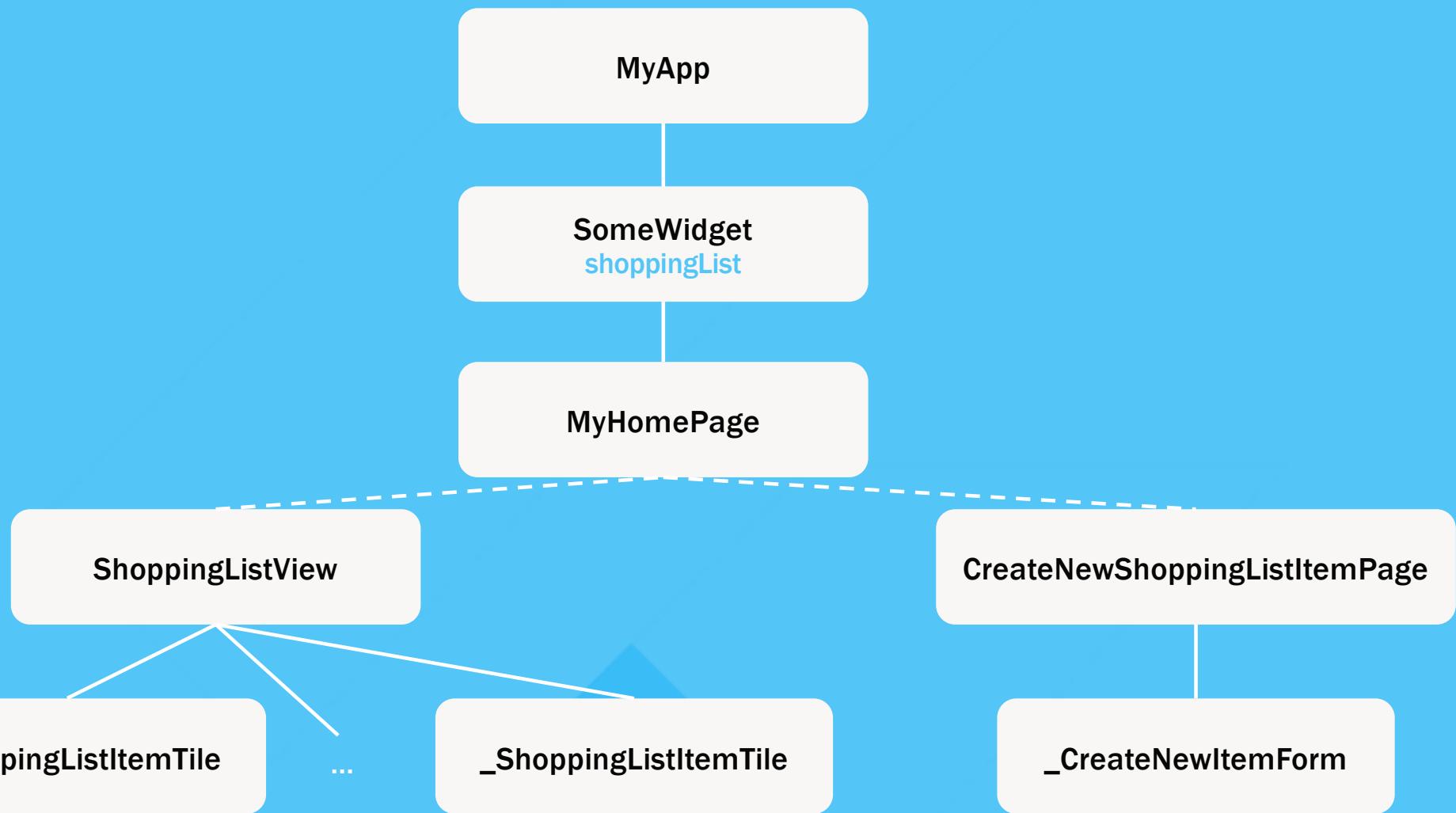


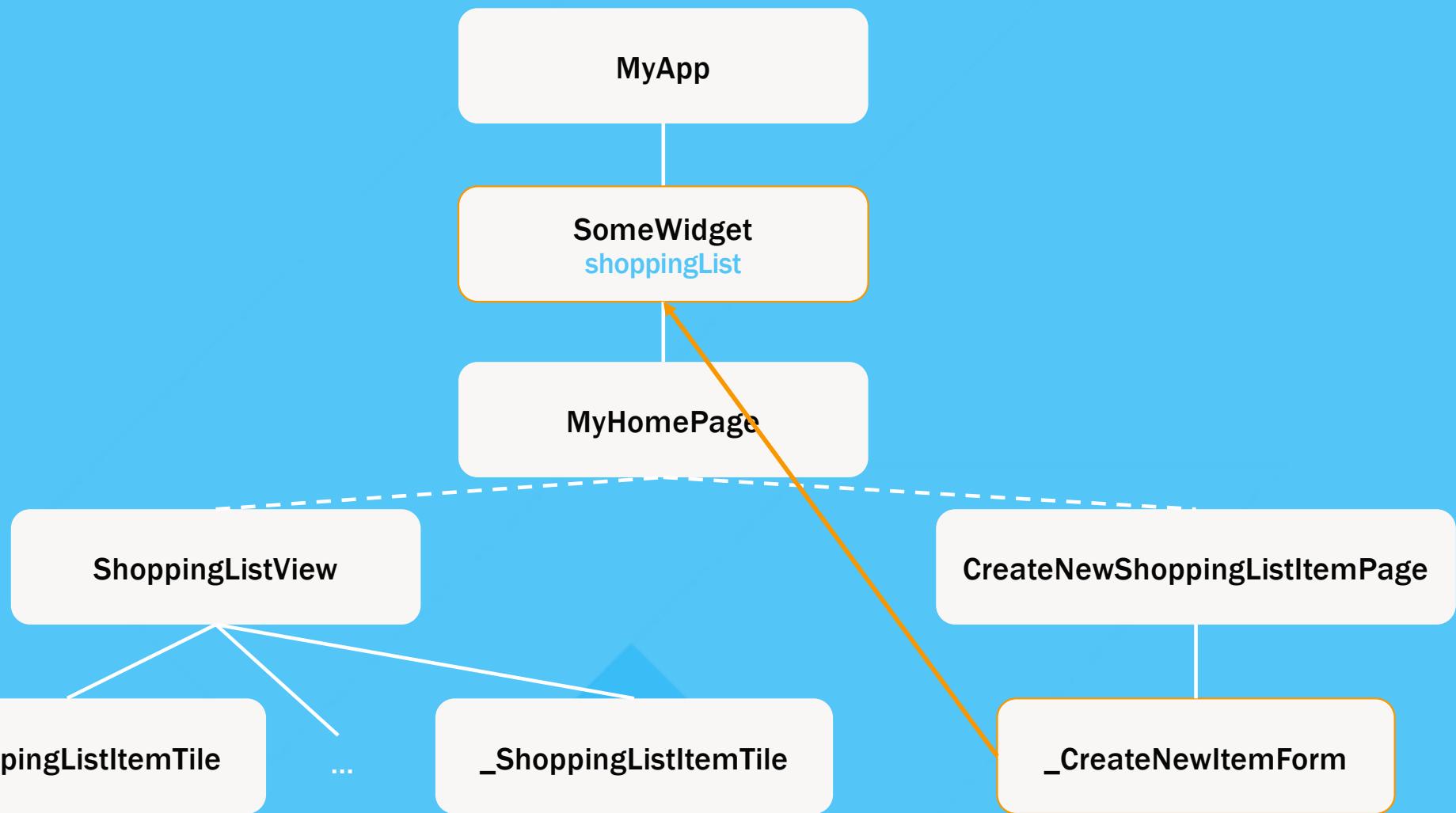


# Advanced state management

The idea







# Advanced state management

Options



Provider



riverpod



GetX



bloc



redux

**New Flutter Devs:**

Can you tell what's the best state management option for flutter ?

**Flutter Team :**



No, I don't think i will

Too many options

# Summary

- Widgets are used to configure other widgets
- There is a widget for everything
- Rerender using setState
- Navigate between pages using the Navigator API
- Use lifecycle methods to handle lifetime of created objects



# Practice makes perfect

Build your own app

# Requirements

- Flutter installation
- A physical device or an emulator
- A little patience
- Creativity



# Assignment

- **Brainstorm:** Take 5 minutes to conceptualize a simple app idea
- **Initialize:** Create a new Flutter project
- **Design:** Use your gained knowledge about widgets (**Scaffold**, **AppBar**, **Text**, ...) to build the UI
- **Function:** Implement basic functionality and use your knowledge on state management
- **Style:** Add a touch of customization to make your app stand out

# It's a competition



MAY THE BEST TEAM WIN

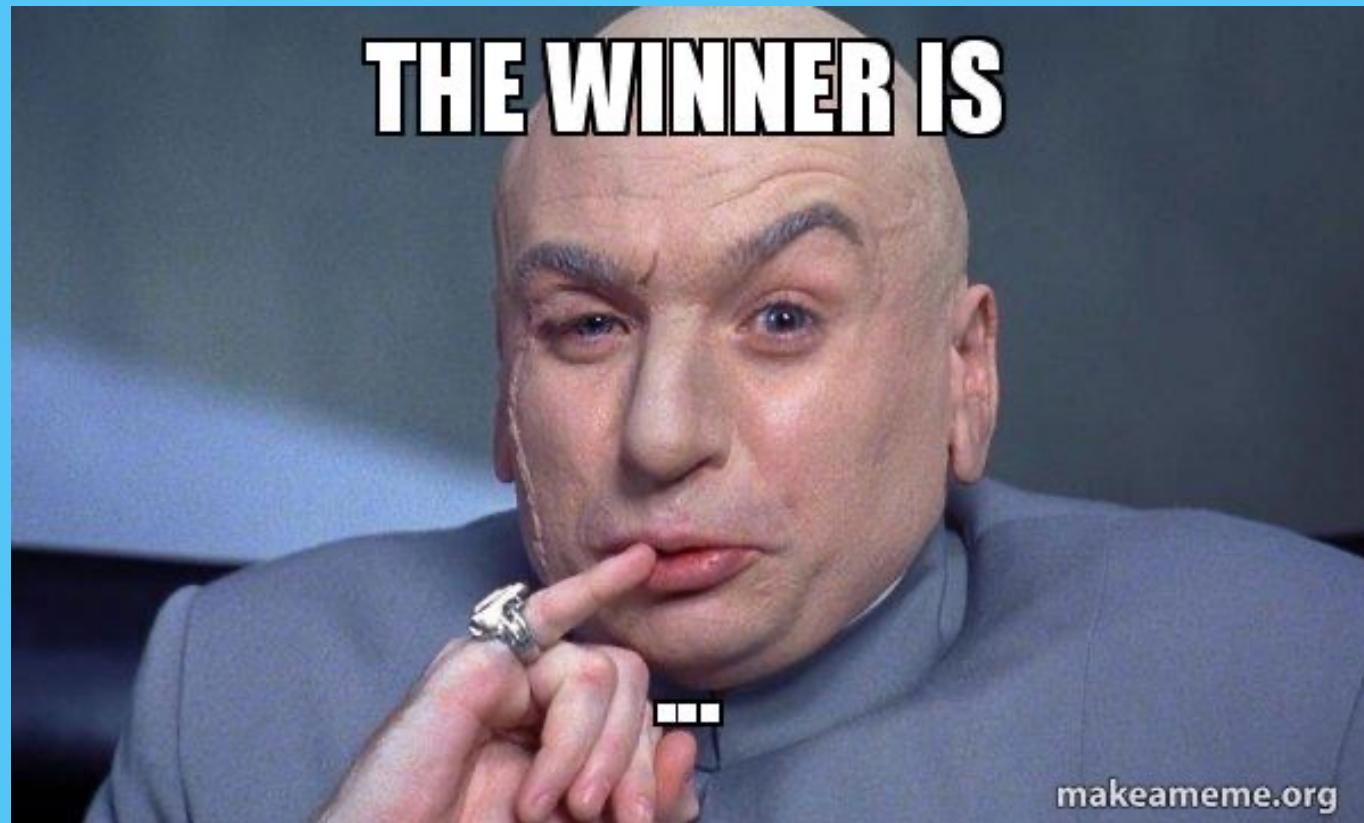


**Don't be afraid to ask  
for help**

# Apps & slides



**THE WINNER IS**

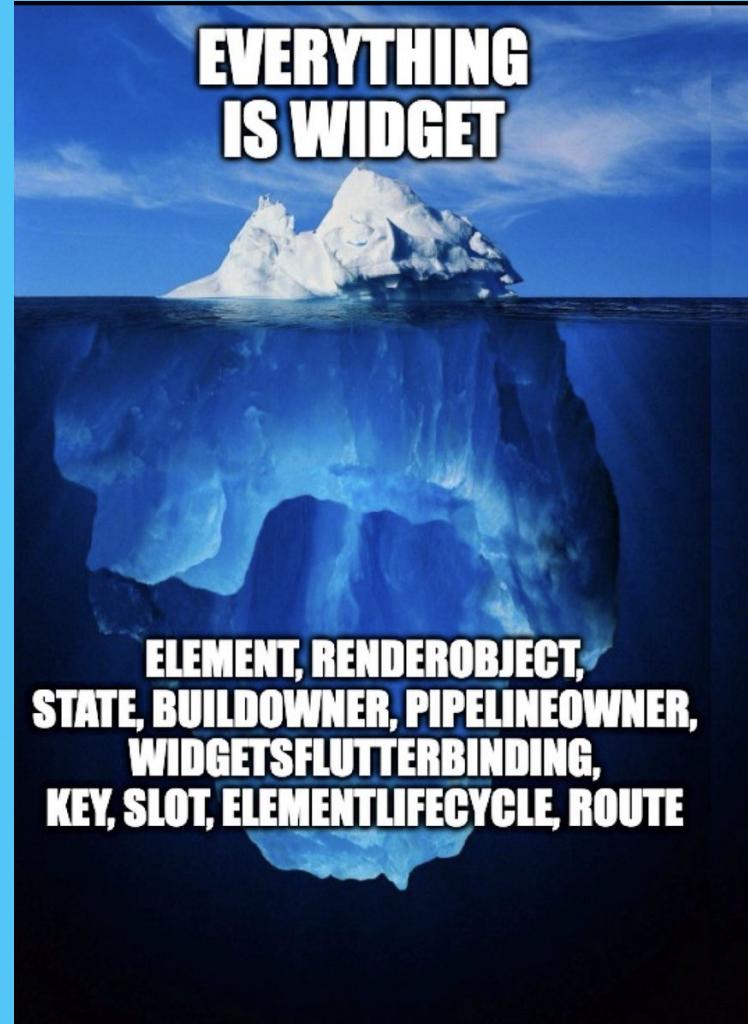


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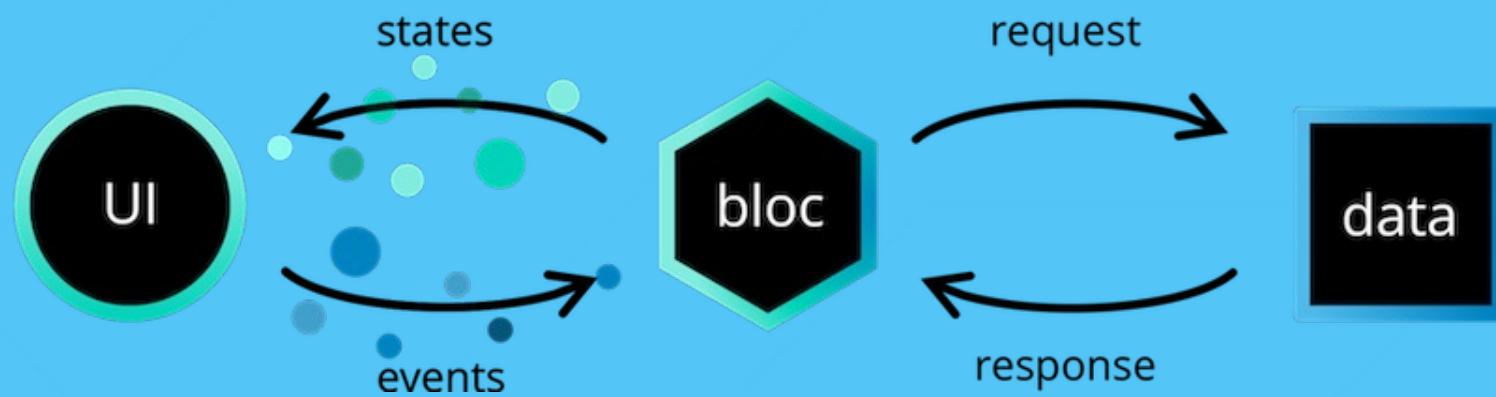


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# Outlook







# Things to lookup yourself

- InheritedWidget
- Element & RenderObject
- Bloc & Provider
- Asynchronous Dart => Call a REST-API from your Flutter app
- Freezed & JSON Serializable
- Widget/Unit/Integration Tests
- Local Storage